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## THE SHANGHAI DOCK & ENGINEERING CO., LTD.

*(Incorporated under the Companies' Ordinances, Hongkong)*

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Thirty-fourth Annual General Meeting of the Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd., will be held in the Boardroom of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., 27 The Bund, on Monday, January 29, 1940 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the following purposes, namely:—

To receive and consider the annual statement of accounts and the reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon, to declare a dividend, to elect Directors and Auditors and to transact any other business of the Company.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the same place and on the same day at 4.15 o'clock in the afternoon or so soon afterwards as the Annual General Meeting shall be concluded an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing as a Special Resolution the following Resolution that is to say:

(a) THAT the Shanghai Dock & Engineering Company, Limited be wound up voluntarily AND THAT FREDERICK NEWMAN MATTHEWS, F.C.A. and ERNEST FROST HARDMAN, C.A. both of 2 Peking Road Shanghai be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators jointly and each of them severally for the purposes of such winding-up AND THAT the remuneration of the said Liquidators be fixed at an initial fee of Dollars Fifteen thousand and such further fee as may be decided upon by the Committee of Inspection.

(b) THAT the Liquidators may divide among the contributories in specie or kind any part of the assets of the Company or may vest any part of the assets of the Company in Trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories or any of them as the Liquidators shall think fit.

(c) THAT FREDERICK ARTHUR POLLOCK of Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., ARCHIBALD HEDLEY MATTHEWS of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation and HERBERT CASTLE BARTON WAY of the Yangtsze Insurance Association, Ltd. be and they are hereby appointed to act as a Committee of Inspection in such winding-up.

The transfer books and register of members will be closed from January 16, 1940 to January 29, 1940 both days inclusive.

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By Order of the Board,
D. R. GLASS, A.C.A.,
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Shanghai, January 5, 1940.

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8 Engineering Society Meeting, 5.45
9 A.W.C.: Wm. Blackstone, baritone, 4.45
9 For. Y. Lecture: 'Chinese War Finances and Currency,' by Mr. E. Kann
9 Artist Club, Eastern Theatre, Hongkew 'Nathan the Wise,' by Lessing
9 'Mme. Butterfly,' opera, Lyceum, 9
10 K.D.S. mtg., 1292 Joffre, tea 4.30, bus. 5.15
10 Dinner Dance, Floorshow, C.S.F., 8.30
10 'Mme. Butterfly,' opera, Lyceum, 9
11 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
11 B.W.A. Classical Concert, 5.30
11 'Night in Moulin Rouge' by G. Gilbert, Light Opera, Lyc., 8.45
12 Shanghai Camera Club, Meeting and Lecture, 330 Szechuen Road, 9
13 Dinner Dance, Floorshow, C.S.F., 8.30
13 'Night in Moulin Rouge,' L.O., Lyc., 8.45
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15 For. Y. Lecture, "Elementary Photography" by Mr. R. V. Dent, F.R.P.S., F.R.M.S.
16 A.W.C.: Miss Peterson on 'India,' 4.45
16 Tuesday Evening Club, 7.30
17 B. Zakharoff and V. Havsky in a Concert for Two Pianos, Lyc., 9.15
18 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
18 B.W.A. embroidery exhibition by pupils of Mrs. Schoenbek
20 Shanghai Scottish Coy., S.V.C. Silver Jubilee Dinner, S.V.C. Club, 8
20 Grand Operatic Concert, Lisa Robitchek, Ernest Krasso, Lyceum, 9
20 B.W.A. Sports Section Dance, 9
23 A.W.C.: Dr. Gardiner on 'Diet,' 4.45
23 For. Y. Lecture: 'Trans-Ocean Air Communications,' by Mr. F. J. Sanger
25 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
25 Cradle bridge/mahjongg, S.I.B.C., 3
25 Chamber Orchestra, 1939, Third Concert, Eastern Theatre, 9.15
30 A.W.C. Bridge and Mahjongg, 3
30 For. Y. Lecture: 'Chinese Religious Heritage' by Dr. C. B. Day

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To the Editor of the "North-China Daily News"

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E.T.N.

Shanghai, Jan. 5.

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To the Editor of the "North-China Daily News"

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If it is not asking too much would some kind reader provide me with this information.

DX.

Shanghai, Jan. 5.

## Japan to Place 15 New Planes in Service

### Improvement of Commercial Routes Announced

Tokyo, Jan. 5.

Fifteen new planes will be put on commercial air routes early in May, the Aviation Bureau of the Ministry of Communications announced today.

Five of the planes will be Mitsubishi twin-motored transport planes. Ten other medium size passenger planes will be commissioned at that time.

The twin-motored planes will be used on the Thailand-Japan route. This service is due to be inaugurated on February 1. Japanese built seven-seater planes will be used when the service is inaugurated.

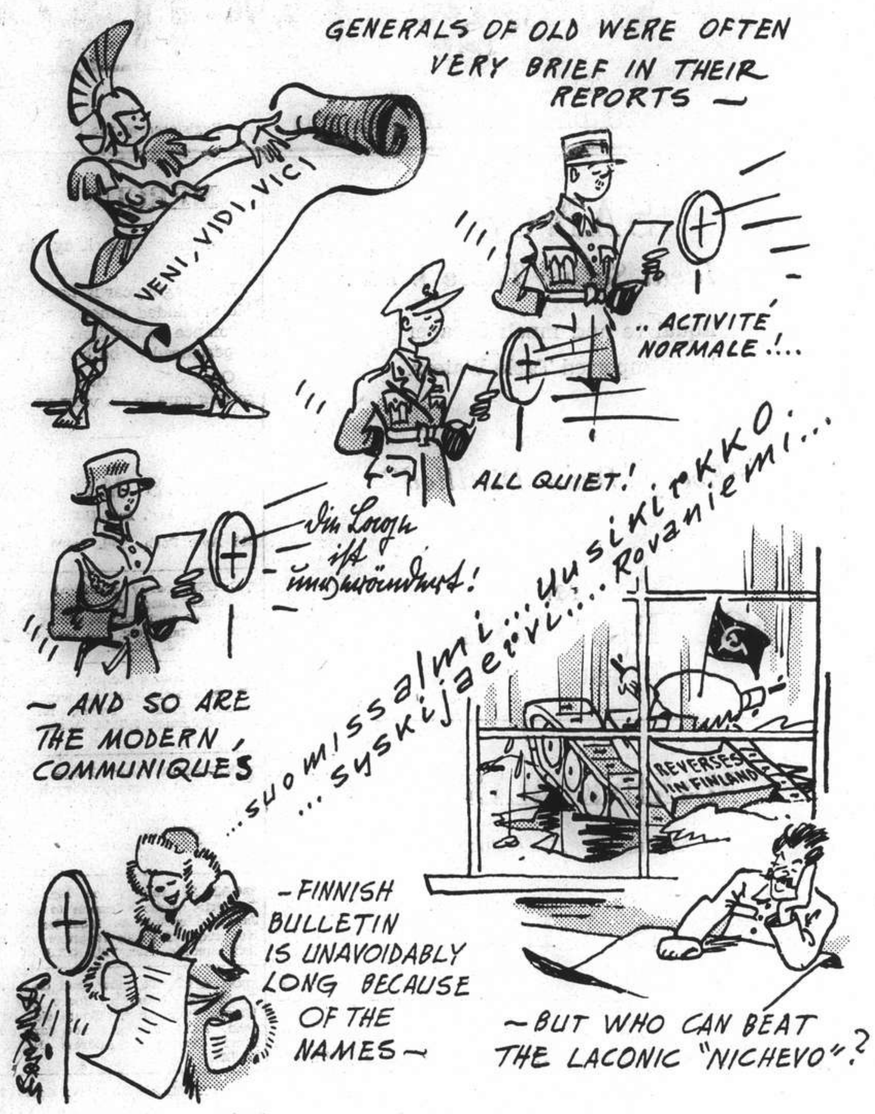
The twin-motored planes will be capable of flying 330 kilometres an hour with a crew of four persons and eight passengers. It was expected that new twin-motored planes would also be put on routes on the continent soon.—Domei.

## Hoihow Merchants Form Overseas Society

Hoihow, Jan. 5.

The inaugural meeting of the Overseas Chinese Merchants' Society was held at the Chung Hwa Theatre here this afternoon. The organization was formed to strengthen the connection between Chinese merchants abroad and merchants on Hainan Island.

More than 300,000 Chinese merchants abroad were born on Hainan Island and they contribute about $25,000,000 a year for reconstruction work on the island.—Domei.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War News

# The Canadians Arrive in The Mother Country

### Message of Welcome From the King; Stirring Scenes At Quayside as Troops Disembark

THE first contingent of the Canadian Forces are now in Britain. Their arrival was unheralded and the long voyage from their Motherland was accomplished without any mishap, thanks to the splendid convoy work of the French and British navies. In the following article, reporters of "The Times" describe how the Canadians landed on English soil and how they marched to camp after they had been welcomed by Mr. Anthony Eden, Dominions Secretary, who read them a message of welcome from the King, and by General Sir Charles Grant.

The article states:—The first of the fighters for freedom from the oversea Empire are here. Disinclined to invite the special attentions of prowling U-boats, they came secretly, so that women standing on a quayside as the transports lined up with soldiers passed slowly by thought that they were cheering men of the British Expeditionary Force returning home for Christmas leave—until these cheerful warriors spelt out in unison "C-A-N-A-D-A" and concluded on a mighty crescendo "Canada!" And as their proud announcement rolled across the still water on this grey December morning and its impoort was realized the eyes of the few spectators of a historic scene opened wide, they smiled their pride and pleasure, and into their waving and cheering went a new vigour.

The first words of welcome heard by the men of the Canadian Active Service Force when they had landed were those of the King. Waiting to greet them was Mr. Eden, Secretary of State for the Dominions, who had brought with him a message of welcome from the King, signed by his own hand. As soon as the cheering with which they made the dock-side ring as they tumbled merrily ashore had died away it was read to them:—

> On behalf of this country I extend the warmest welcome to the first contingent of the Canadian forces to reach these shores.
>
> The British Army will be proud to have as comrades in arms the successors of those who came from Canada in the Great War and fought with a heroism that has never been forgotten.—George R.I.

#### A Magnificent Sight

Every British convoy is a fine sight; that which brought the Canadian Active Service Force was magnificent. Here was gathered together a thrilling part of the wealth of British maritime resources—great ships with famous names, in which the troops had voyaged, and their companions of the security escort supplied by the Royal Navy, sleek and low in the water by comparison with the towering liners, but all the same forcefully suggestive of relentless power. This power had proved all-sufficient, so that a crossing of the Atlantic lasting eight days had known no excitement due to extraneous factors. The Royal Navy had carried through another valuable job of work, which, when he stepped ashore, the commanding officer of the Canadian force, Major-General Andrew G. L. McNaughton, was quick to praise.

The scene as the ships put in on this raw morning had about it a sternness which was not inappropriate, for, as their commander said, these men have come over to tackle an unpleasant job which must be got through, and (as they hope) quickly. Even so, a sombre picture—grey ships riding on a smooth grey sea, beneath a dull grey sky, with a grey landscape stretching away into a gloomy morning mist and the white of screeching gulls providing the one variation in hue—took on a sudden and heartening warmth when once Canada spoke. Her message drifted across the water in gay, ringing tones—a summons to renewed effort to the end in defence of those things held dear by democracy alike here and in the West.

#### Gallant Cheerfulness

We could see them high up in the big ships which had borne them here, white lifebelts over their khaki battle dress, pressed against the rails, eager to see this Britain. They made no secret of their coming. Three mighty cheers would roll out across the sea, and then a series of high-toned "whoopees." Strong arms waved rifles as if they were drumsticks, and on shore handkerchiefs fluttered in response. One ship passed, but soon another was succeeding it, and the sound of bagpipes from over the water told us that she was carrying Canadian Scots. "Ya-hoo, va-hoo, whoopee," they cried, and then cheered again and again. Next in sonorous tones "T-O-R-O-N-T-O—Toronto, and we knew the home town of another batch. Yet another lot were singing with vigour a song of the last War, in which so many of their fathers and a number of these men fought, "Pack up your troubles." The bleakness of the scene melted clean away before such a wealth of gallant cheerfulness. As the ships came on flags were run up their masts, signal lights flashed messages ashore, and aircraft dipped in salute.

Waiting on the quayside to greet them were Mr. Eden, Mr. Vincent Massey, High Commissioner for Canada, Mr. L. B. Pearson, Assistant High Commissioner, General Crerar, General McNaughton, and high officers of the Royal-Navy and the British Army.

After the King's message of welcome had been received with loud cheers, Mr. Eden said:—It is my privilege to welcome you on behalf of his Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom on the occasion of your arrival on the soil of Britain. The deeds of Canadian armies in the past are part of recorded history and will be specially remembered by those of us who were privileged to serve beside Canadian comrades 25 years ago. Once again you have heard the call, and once again you have responded, whether you be English-speaking or French-speaking Canadians. The people of Great Britain—all sections of them—will never forget this great gesture of friendship and cooperation.

It may be that the struggle in which we are engaged will be long. It will certainly be tough—we all know that. But in the assurance of the unity of the peoples of the British Commonwealth is the certainty of final victory. We thank you for your journey; we wish you good luck and godspeed.

#### The March Off

In the cold, grey light of early morning members of the Canadian Active Service Force began the short, final stage of their journey to quarters in a military camp. They had travelled under cover of darkness, and today, despite marching, martial music, and significant traffic movements, few civilians seemed to realize as they watched the marching columns that the Canadians were coming. Indeed, canvas gaiters, strange badges and regimental markings, and the word "Canada" were practically the sole obvious differences between these stalwarts in battle dress and the British soldier.

For several hours long trains drew in at various stations and deposited safely their eager, vigorous passengers. At one of these stations I watched the arrival of three of the trains. Quickly the troops left the first train and with a minimum of ceremony collected their kit, assembled, had roll-calls, and left the station in lorries or marching. But when the next train arrived what one Canadian delightedly termed "a regular reception committee" had appeared. This description included the G.O.C.-in-C. of the area, a party of Scottish pipers, a famous band, more officers, and more members of the Canadian advanced party, which—it is an open secret here—had arrived some little time ago. This time all the troops were wearing balmoral or glengarry caps and their own pipers joined the others waiting to lead the march-past. Soon the platform was filled with soldiers and above shouted orders, such as "Get to your own platoon and make it snappy, lads," the band at the far end could be heard playing well-known airs, including "O, Canada."

In the march-past that followed the G.O.C. took the salute in the station approach. It was a brave show—the defiant skirl of the united pipers mingling with the solid tread of the Canadians; a touch of colour was produced by the yellow, red, blue, and white labels attached to their rifles. This was no ordinary ceremony or merely an exhibition of precision. It was part of an enthusiastic adventure; the eyes and faces of the troops showed that.

#### Friendly Atmosphere

When the last train drew into the station it seemed that their predecessors had created a particularly friendly atmosphere. Those waiting to welcome this final contingent permitted themselves an extra flourish of greeting. First the band's trumpeters sounded a melodious fanfare—the richly emblazoned silver trumpets bringing unexpected pageantry to a subdued, purposeful scene. When the troops, headed by more Scottish and Canadian pipers, had formed up for the march-past, the trumpeters sounded another fanfare, and the band joined the contingent as they marched towards the barracks.

The day was bitterly cold, and although the route was some miles long the Canadians marched easily and with a confident swing. They must have welcomed the exercise for, according to one of them, the cold did not worry them as they had come from a colder place. In all their actions they displayed that democratic spirit which is the chief characteristic of the peoples of the Dominions. A gay laugh, a mischievous eye, a friendly exchange, and who could think of such things as black-outs and the cramped chilliness of winter?

## CHURCH SERVICES

**Holy Trinity Cathedral.**—January 7.—1st Sunday after Epiphany.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins and Holy Communion. 10.30 a.m. Psalm: 46. Lessons: Isaiah 44, 6-end; John 1, 19-34. Smart in F. Hymns: 80, 81. Preacher: Rt. Rev. John Curtis, D.D. (Mattins and Holy Communion at 10.30 a.m. will be broadcast from Cathedral over XMHC., 760 kc., 394.6m.). Children's Service 10.30 a.m. Holy Communion 11.45 a.m. Sunday Schools (Cathedral Girls School and at 933 Yu Yuen Road) 3 p.m. Evensong and Sermon 6 p.m. Psalm: 67. Lessons: Isaiah 45; John 4, 1-42. Hymns: 76, 304, 79, 23. Preacher: The Dean. Bubbling Well Chapel 8 p.m. Preacher: Rev. F. A. Skinner.

**St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.**—Holy Communion in English at 10.30 a.m. Preacher: Rev. F. L. Hawks Pott, D.D. Evening Prayer in English at 6 o'clock. Preacher: Rev. F. L. Hawks Pott, D.D.

**Union Church** (International and Interdenominational), 107 Soochow Road (near the British Consulate-General).—Officiating Minister: Rev. C. W. Allan.—10.45, Morning Worship, followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Preacher, Rev. C. W. Allan; 10.45, Children's Morning Service in the Church Hall; 3, Western District Sunday School at 1 Great Western Road.—Friday, 5.30, Choir rehearsal.

**Church of the Air Programme.**
Station XMHD., (760 kc., 395 m.)
Sunday, Jan. 7.
10.00: XMHD. Service (Rev. W. H. Turner)
20.00: XMHD. Sacred Concert (Miss Myra Bancroft Olive.)
20.30: Gospel Service (Dr. W. H. Tipton.)
21.00: Russian Evangelistic Service and Music.
Weekdays, Jan. 8 to 13.
8.30: Thought for the Day (C. J. Lowe)
12.45: "N.C.D.N." News Broadcast
13.00: Devotional Service and Song
17.00: Classical and Popular Music
20.00: Sacred Concert
20.30: Gospel Service and Song
21.00: "N.C.D.N." News Broadcast
21.30: Russian Service (Tuesday)
Noonday speakers: Mr. K. Faulkner. Dr. H. G. C. Hallock, Rev. A. E. Small. C.I.M. Friends, Miss Edith Spurling and Rev. G. A. Jacobson. All are cordially invited to "Tune In."

**Fourth Marines Church.**—Featured in the Fourth U. S. Marines Regimental Band Concert following the morning worship to be held at the Grand Theatre Sunday, January 7, will be a trumpet trio. In arranging for and conducting the morning services, Chaplain Lieut. R. R. Marken, has selected as his theme of worship, "The Funeral of 1939."

**Saint Joseph's Church** (Rue Montauban) Tel. 85533. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7.30 a.m. On New Year's day, the Masses will be celebrated at 5.15, 6, 7.30 and 8 a.m.

**Sacred Heart Church** (260 Nanzing Road) Tel. 41428 Sunday: Masses at 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

**Saint Peter's Church** (Avenue Dubail) Tel. 80725 Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 3.30 and 6.45 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.15, 6, 6.45 and 7.30 a.m.

**Saint Theresa's Church** (370 Tatung Road) Tel. 39359 Sunday: Masses at 7 and 8.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m.

**Our Lady's Church** (694 Baikal Road) Weekdays: Masses at 6.30 a.m. 7.15 a.m. 8.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 7 a.m.

**Church of St. Aloysius Gonzaga** (730 Kiaochow Road) Tel. 32313 Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30, 6 and 6.30 a.m.

**Church of Christ the King.** — 235 Rue Bourgeat. Tel. 72873 Masses on Sunday at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a.m. Benediction Sunday evening at 6.30 p.m. Masses weekdays at 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction First Friday at 6.30 p.m. Catechism classes every Saturday at 9 a.m.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist, Shanghai** 1647 Avenue Road.—Sunday Service 11 a.m. Sunday Service in German 9.30 a.m. Subject: "God." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**Society of Friends** (Quakers)—A Meeting for Worship to which all are welcome will be held at 6 p.m. in Room D at the Foreign Y.M.C.A., 150 Bubbling Well Road.

**Community Church**—Dr. John Lyon Caughey will preach in Community Church Sunday at 11 a.m. on the theme, "Faith for the year before us." Mr. R. V. Dent will be at the organ. The choir will sing "Teach Me, O Lord" by Attwood, and Mr. David McGavin will sing "Consider the Lilies" by Van Dyck. The Church Society will meet at 4 p.m., and the Young People's Christian Endeavour School will meet at 9.30 a.m. The Youth Fellowship Group will meet at 5.30 p.m.

**Bethesda Gospel Hall** (International.)—729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai. Gospel Services are held in: German: on Sundays at 5 to 6 p.m. on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 4-5 p.m. English: on Tuesdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30-6.30 p.m. Chinese: on Sundays Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10-11.30 p.m. on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30-4 p.m. on Thursdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30-7 p.m. on Fridays Bible Class at 5.30-7 p.m.

**Endeavourers Church.** Morning service will be held at The Hut, 491 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. to be followed by observance of the Holy Communion. The pastor, Rev. H. G. C. Hallock Ph. D. will preside. Mid-week prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. in room 305 Missions Building, 169 Yuen Ming Yuen Road.

**Shanghai Free Christian Church.**—(Evangelical) 681 Hart Road.—The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Dr. L. S. Huizenga. Sunday School at 3 p.m: Young Ladies' Bible Class at 4.45 p.m. Evening at 6 o'clock by Mr. N. J. Amos. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting.

**"The Hut."**—491 Yu Yuen Road. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock. Preacher, Mr. Rowland G. Hill.


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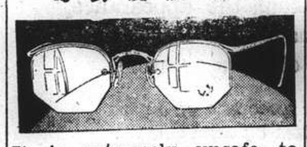

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Books dealing with Japan now in the Oriental department of the library, as well as volumes on Japanese history, culture, diplomacy and other subjects to be sent by the Foreign Office, will be kept in the Saito room.

The Library of Congress, which was established in 1800, now contains more than 5,000,000 books.—Domei.

## Seventy Years Ago

From the "North-China Daily News," of January 6, 1870

It is a common remark with those who have not studied the subject much, that Chinese flowers have no scent. There are many, however, that possess the most delicious fragrance. The little yellow flower known among the Chinese as Lanmayhwa may now be seen in full bloom in at least four gardens on the Bund. This plant is known to English gardeners as Chimonanthus fragrance. It was introduced from China in 1766, and is generally treated as a wall plant in England, where it is much esteemed for its early flowering and the sweet scent of its blossoms. These are about an inch in diameter, and made up of large number of pale yellow waxy petals, arranged in several rows—the inner series is one variety chocolate coloured, and in another mottled with red. The plant is cultivated by the Chinese, and very fine specimens are to be seen at the gardens of nurserymen on the north side of the Soochow Creek, opposite Markham's farm. At this season the flowers are much used by Soochow women in decorating the hair, the blossoms being arranged on wires in parallel rows.


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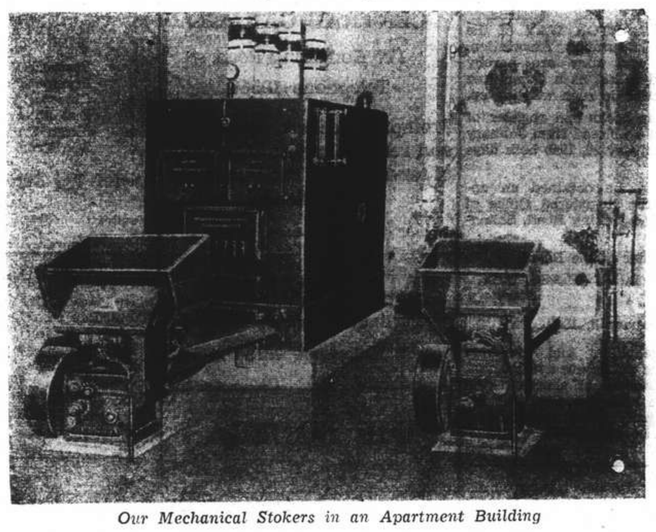

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**Tickets for the next drawing are now on sale.**

# Shanghai Stock Exchange Official Weekly Share Report with Closing Quotations, Jan. 5, 1940

REPORT No. 1/1940 for week ending Jan. 5 (Friday), compiled by the Shanghai Stock Exchange

| Comparative Opening Cash Prices: This Friday Morning Jan. 5, 1940 Buyers | Sellers | Last Sales | Nom. | Last Friday Morning Dec. 29, 1939 Buyers | Sellers | Last Sales | Nom. | Business Recorded During Week Closing To-Day, Friday Noon Highest | Lowest | STOCK | Authorised Capital (No. of Shares) | Issued Capital (No. of Shares) | Paid up Value (or Face Value) | Fin. Year ends | Last Dividends, etc. | Paid or due | Business Done Year 1939 Highest | Lowest | Business Done Year 1940 Highest | Lowest | Total No. of Shares Done for Last Week | This Week | Total Amount of Sales Reported 1939 | 5-1-40 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | **Banks, Finance Companies** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| .... | 16 | 16 | .... | .... | 16 | 16 | .... | .... | .... | Central Properties, Ltd. | 5,000,000 | 180,000 | $10 | Dec. | Div. 15% 1938 | 23-1-39 | 18 Jan | 14 Feb | .... | .... | 600 | .... | 53,100 | .... |
| .... | 10 | 10 | .... | 15 | .... | 10 | .... | .... | .... | China Bond & Share Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. | 200,000 | 120,000 | $10 | Dec. | Int. Div. 4% a/c 1939 | 15-4-39 | 10 Jan | 10 Jan | .... | .... | .... | .... | 11,000 | .... |
| 1.02 | .... | 0.50 | .... | 1.02 | .... | 0.50 | .... | .... | .... | China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A. | 400,000 | 400,000 | T5 | Dec. | Spec. Tax Div. Tls. 0.27½ = $0.39, 1931 (Nil 1938) | 14-3-32 | 0.50 Dec | 0.20 July | .... | .... | .... | .... | 26,000 | .... |
| .... | .... | *1,320 | .... | .... | .... | *1,320 | .... | .... | .... | Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp. | 400,000 | 160,000 | H$125 | Dec. | Int. Div. $2.10-0 a/c 1939 Less I/T | 12-8-39 | 1,445 Mar | 1,310 Oct | .... | .... | .... | .... | 853 | .... |
| 11.30 | 11.50 | 11.30 | .... | 11.10 | 11.20 | 11 | .... | 11.70 | 11.20 | Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China, Ltd. | 2,000,000 | 350,000 | T10 | Mar. | Div. $0.75, 1934 (Nil 1938-39) | 4-5-34 | 11.10 Dec | 2.37½ Feb | 11.70 Jan | 11.20 Jan | 36,900 | 21,200 | 1,834,521 | 21,200 |
| 14½ | 14.80 | 14.50 | .... | 14.80 | 15 | 14.80 | .... | 14.90 | 14.50 | Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd. | 250,000 | 250,000 | $5 | Dec. | Int. Div. $0.35 a/c 1939 | 25-10-39 | 15 Dec | 5.10 Sept | 14.90 Jan | 14.50 Jan | 26,000 | 8,900 | 1,373,264 | 8,900 |
| 20 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | 20 | .... | .... | Union Mobiliere | 100,000 | 100,000 | $20 | Dec. | 34% for 1938 | 11-5-39 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| 10.30 | 10.50 | 10.40 | .... | 9.95 | 10 | 9.95 | .... | 10.60 | 10 | Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd. | 2,000,000 | 517,500 | T10 | Mar. | Div. $0.50 a/c 1938-39 | 3-7-39 | 10.10 Dec | 5 Aug | 10.60 Jan | 10 Jan | 59,500 | 25,000 | 1,001,515 | 25,000 |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Insurances** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 5 | .... | .... | 4 | 5 | .... | .... | .... | .... | American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.) | 75,000 | 75,000 | T10 | Dec. | Div. $1.40, 1934 (1938 Nil) | 15-5-35 | 3.25 Nov. | 3 Jan | .... | .... | .... | .... | 4,700 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 130 | .... | .... | .... | 130 | .... | .... | Asia Life Insurance Co. | 100,000 | 40,000 | $5 | Dec. | Div. 10% = G$0.50, 1938 | 11-9-39 | 70 Jan | 70 Jan | .... | .... | .... | .... | 200 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 90 | .... | .... | .... | 90 | .... | .... | Assurance Franco-Asiatique | 70,000 | 70,000 | F100 | Dec. | Div. 5%, 1938 | 10-5-39 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | 9 | 9 | .... | 8.80 | 9 | 9 | .... | .... | .... | International Assurance Co., Ltd. | 933,333 | 280,000 | 10/- | Dec. | Div. $0.30.1933 (Nil 1938) | 18-5-34 | 11.20 Oct | 7.50 Apr | .... | .... | 1,200 | .... | 118,932 | .... |
| .... | .... | 440 | .... | .... | .... | 400 | .... | 440 | 440 | Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd. | 200,000 | 135,000 | $6 | Dec. | Int. Div. 12/6d a/c 1939 | 15-11-39 | 480 Mar | 365 Oct | 440 Jan | 440 Jan | 115 | 30 | 1,020 | 30 |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Lands** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| .... | .... | .... | 200 | .... | .... | .... | 200 | .... | .... | Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd. | 25,000 | 19,335 | T100 | Feb. | Int. Div. $2.00 a/c 1939-40 | 12-10-39 | 200 Dec | 120 Sept | .... | .... | 100 | .... | 368 | .... |
| 1.95 | .... | 2 | .... | 1.90 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | Cathay Land Co., Ltd. | 500,000 | 480,374 | T10 | Dec. | Final 2% = $0.28 (Mkg. 6% 1933) (Nil 1938) | 5-5-34 | 2 Dec | 1 Mar | .... | .... | 2,500 | 112,300 | 77,700 | 112,300 |
| 8.50 | .... | 8.60 | .... | 0.45 | 0.50 | 0.45 | .... | 8.80 | 7.70 | China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A. | 1,250,000 | 1,236,327 | $10 | Dec. | .... | .... | 1 Jan | 0.25 Aug | 8.80 Jan | 7.70 Jan | 1,000 | .... | 461,581 | .... |
| 275 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | 225 | .... | .... | .... | Fonciere et Immobiliere de Chine | 20,000 | 20,000 | T100 | Dec. | Final Div. $10.00 (Mkg. $15.00 a/c 1938) | 3-3-39 | 180 Mar | 180 Mar | .... | .... | .... | .... | 48 | .... |
| .... | 9 | 7 | .... | 7.50 | 8 | 7 | .... | 9 | 9 | Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A" | 500,000 | 39,800 | T10 | Sept. | Div. $0.40, a/c 1939 | 14-12-39 | 7 Nov | 4.20 Feb | 9 Jan | 9 Jan | 1,000 | 100 | 11,750 | 100 |
| .... | 9 | 7 | .... | 7.50 | 8 | 7 | .... | .... | .... | do. "B" | | 155,018 | T10 | Sept | Div. $0.40, a/c 1939 | 14-12-19 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | San Sing Properties, Ltd. | 2,000,000 | 805,007 | T10 | Mar. | Int. Div. $0.60 a/c 1939 (Final Nil) | 23-12-38 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | 13.80 | 9 | 12.60 | 12.90 | 12.70 | .... | 14 | 13.30 | Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd. | 2,386,800 | 2,386,800 | ($7) T5 | Dec. | Fin. 4% = $0.28 (Mkg. Tls 0.50 1934) (Nil 1938) | 25-4-35 | 12.90 Dec | 7.60 Aug | 14 Jan | 13.30 Jan | 87,530 | 24,000 | 1,132,772 | 24,000 |
| .... | .... | .... | 99½ | .... | .... | .... | 99.50 | .... | .... | Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd. | 120,000 | 64,281 | $50 | Dec. | Final 2% (Mkg. 15% 1938) | 15-2-39 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Docks, Wharves and Transport** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20½ | 20½ | 20½ | .... | 19.90 | 20 | 20 | .... | 21.50 | 20.25 | New Eng. & Shipbuilding Works, Ltd. (ord.) | 500,000 | 494,351 | T5 | Dec. | Div. $0.35 a/c 1938 | 16-1-39 | 20.50 Dec | 5.60 Jan | 21.50 Jan | 20.25 Jan | 11,100 | 16,300 | 253,813 | 16,300 |
| 220 | 225 | 220 | .... | .... | 213 | 214 | .... | 225 | 217 | Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd. | 55,700 | 55,200 | T25 | Dec. | Int. Div. $4 a/c 1939 | 1-6-39 | 218 Dec | 93.50 Feb | 225 Jan | 217 Jan | .... | 1,530 | 22,789 | 1,530 |
| .... | .... | 265 | .... | .... | 275 | 265 | .... | .... | .... | Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd. | 60,000 | 60,000 | T100 | Dec. | Int. Div. $10 a/c 1939 | 30-8-39 | 270 Dec | 170 Jan | .... | .... | 315 | .... | 11,092 | .... |
| 76 | 77 | 76 | .... | 74.50 | 75.50 | 75 | .... | 77.50 | 75 | Wheelock & Co., Ltd. | 1,000,000 | 239,356 | T10 | Mar. | Int. Div. $3 a/c 1939/40 | Pending | 76.50 Dec | 28 Sept | 77.50 Jan | 75 Jan | 7,900 | 2,150 | 733,197 | 2,150 |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Utilities** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| .... | 24½ | 24½ | .... | 24.25 | 25 | 24.75 | .... | 24.50 | 24 | China General Omnibus Co., Ltd. | 500,000 | 200,000 | T10 | Dec. | Fin. Div. $0.70 (Mkg. $1.26 a/c 1938) | 20-4-39 | 32.25 June | 18.50 Aug | 24.50 Jan | 24 Jan | 1,500 | 1,200 | 117,025 | 1,200 |
| .... | .... | 12 | .... | .... | .... | 12 | .... | 12.30 | 12.30 | Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd. | 700,000 | 560,000 | $10 | Dec. | Div. 6% 1938 | 2-5-39 | 12.40 Dec | 8 Feb | 12.30 Jan | 12.30 Jan | .... | 500 | 24,715 | 500 |
| .... | 23 | 23 | .... | .... | .... | 22.75 | .... | 23.25 | 23 | Shanghai Telephone Company | 1,200,000 | 1,151,420 | $10 | Dec. | Div. $0.60 a/c 1939 | 27-12-39 | 23.75 Dec | 10.60 July | 23.25 Jan | 23 Jan | 9,350 | 4,370 | 422,978 | 4,370 |
| .... | .... | 37 | .... | .... | .... | 37 | .... | .... | .... | S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg." | 700,000 | 670,000 | £1 | Dec. | Div. 8% a/c 1938 Coupon 56 | 25-4-39 | 40 June | 36 Sept | .... | .... | .... | .... | 7,064 | .... |
| 43 | .... | 44½ | .... | 42.50 | .... | 42.50 | .... | H 44.75 | 44 | do. "Bear" | | | | | | | 44.75 June | 36 Sept | 44.75 Jan | 44 Jan | 2,950 | 2,000 | 273,900 | 2,000 |
| 820 | .... | 820 | .... | .... | .... | 820 | .... | .... | .... | S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A" | 40,236 | 40,236 | $20 | Dec. | Int. Div. 1% =4/- a/c 1939 Coupon 51 | 27-9-39 | 330 Oct | 620 Jan | .... | .... | 50 | .... | 2,775 | .... |
| .... | .... | 33 | .... | .... | .... | 33 | .... | .... | .... | do. "B" | £108,505 | | £1 | Dec. | Int. Div. 2.4d a/c 1939 Coupon 24 | 27-9-39 | 33.50 Aug | 26 Apr | .... | .... | .... | .... | 9,377 | .... |
| .... | .... | 32½ | .... | .... | .... | 32.50 | .... | 33 | 33 | do. "C" | £250,000 | | £1 | Dec. | Int. Div. 2.4d a/c 1939 Coupon 20 | 27-9-39 | 73.50 Oct | 26.25 Mar | 33 Jan | 33 Jan | .... | 200 | 9,826 | 200 |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Miscellaneous** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| .... | .... | 15 | .... | 14.50 | .... | 15 | .... | .... | .... | Auto Palace Co., Ltd. | 150,000 | 118,500 | $8 | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $1.00 (Mkg. $2 a/c 1939) | Pending | 15 Dec | 8.50 May | .... | .... | 1,200 | .... | 20,920 | .... |
| 18½ | .... | 17.20 | .... | 17.50 | .... | 17.20 | .... | .... | .... | Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B" | 50,000 | 49,703 | $10 | Dec. | Div. $0.85 a/c 1938 | 20-3-39 | 17.20 Dec | 12 Aug. | .... | .... | 6,000 | .... | 14,237 | .... |
| .... | .... | 15 | .... | .... | .... | 15 | .... | .... | .... | Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.) | 200,000 | 140,000 | T10 | Dec. | Div. $1.40 a/c 1938 | 26-4-39 | 15 Dec | 11 Mar | .... | .... | .... | .... | 7,715 | .... |
| .... | .... | 39½ | .... | .... | 40 | 39 | .... | .... | .... | China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd. | 500,000 | 231,803 | T10 | Feb. | 2nd Int. Div. $1.25 (Mkg. $2.50 a/c 939-40) | Pending | 39.50 Dec | 19 June | .... | .... | 900 | .... | 22,543 | .... |
| .... | 49 | 48½ | .... | .... | .... | 44 | .... | 49 | 48 | Chinese Eng. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer" | 2,000,000 | 1,980,000 | £1 | June | Fin. Div. 7½% a/c 1937-38 Free of I/T Coupon 45 | 16-1-39 | 48 Dec | 22.25 Jan | 49 Jan | 48 Jan | 1,517 | 1,000 | 174,448 | 1,000 |
| .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | Chosen Corporation, Ltd. | 750,000 | 725,000 | £1 | June | Div. 1/- (Mkg. 1/9d. 1937) Less Tax (Nil 1938) | 15-1-38 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 9 | .... | .... | .... | 9 | .... | .... | Culty Dairy Co., Ltd. | 40,000 | 40,000 | T10 | Dec. | Div. $1. a/c 1934-35 (Nil 1938) | 27-11-35 | 30 Oct | 19 Jan | .... | .... | .... | .... | 420 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 50 | 50 | .... | 30 | .... | .... | .... | Champ Course Francais French | 30,000 | 30,000 | $20 | Dec. | Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1938) | 1-3-35 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 55 | .... | .... | .... | 55 | .... | .... | (French Race Course) non-French | | | | Dec. | Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1938) | 1-3-35 | 80 Mar | 80 Mar | .... | .... | .... | .... | 100 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 55 | .... | .... | .... | 55 | .... | .... | Hall & Holtz, Ltd. | 28,000 | 26,342 | $20 | Feb. | Div. 5% = $1. 1934-35 (1938-39 Nil) | 30-5-35 | 15 Dec | 8 Feb | .... | .... | .... | .... | 1,328 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 15 | .... | .... | .... | 15 | .... | .... | Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd. | 1,500,000 | 1,193,867 | H$7.50 | Dec. | Div. H. $0.60 a/c 1938 | 15-3-39 | 5 Apr | 5 Apr | .... | .... | .... | .... | 500 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | *5 | .... | .... | .... | *5 | .... | .... | Kelly & Walsh, Ltd. | 75,000 | 45,000 | $10 | Feb. | Fin. Div. $1.00 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1938-39) | 30-6-39 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 14½ | .... | .... | 14.25 | .... | .... | .... | Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A. | 100,000 | 30,000 | T10 | Dec. | Fin. Div. $1.25 (Mkg. $2.25 a/c 1938) | 8-3-39 | 12 May | 12 May | .... | .... | .... | .... | 200 | .... |
| 18.80 | 18.90 | 18.80 | 11 | 18.80 | 18.90 | .... | 18.80 | 19.10 | 18.70 | Metal Industries of China, Ltd. | 2,000,000 | 250,000 | $5 | Dec. | .... | .... | 18.90 Nov | 4.50 Sept | 19.10 Jan | 18.70 Jan | 28,200 | 11,000 | 1,266,630 | 11,000 |
| 3 | .... | .... | .... | 2.80 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | Millington, Ltd. | 300,000 | 110,000 | $4 | Dec. | Div. 3% = $0.12 a/c 1938 | 21-4-39 | 2 Mar | 1.40 Oct | .... | .... | .... | .... | 14,340 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 3 | .... | .... | .... | 3 | .... | .... | Office Appliance Co., Ltd. | 80,000 | 60,000 | T8.50 | Dec. | Div. Tls. 0.40 = $0.56. a/c 1932 (Nil 1938) | 21-4-33 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| 8.90 | 9 | 8.95 | 9 | 9.15 | 9.10 | .... | 9.20 | 8.90 | | S'hai Exploration & Development Co., Ltd. | 1,200,000 | 716,701 | T2.50 | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $0.30 (Mkg. $0.60 a/c 1939) | 15-12-39 | 9.50 Nov | 4.50 Aug | 9.30 Jan | 8.90 Jan | 35,090 | 19,300 | 1,795,516 | 19,300 |
| .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | S'hai Vacuum Cleaning & Storage Co., Ltd. | 25,000 | 23,000 | T10 | Dec. | Fin. Div. 7% (Mkg. 10% a/c 1938) | 18-4-38 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 5.30 | .... | .... | .... | 5.30 | .... | .... | S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd. | 500,000 | 301,765 | T1 | Dec. | Div. 8% (=$0.11) 1935 (Nil 1938) | 17-3-36 | 2 Dec | 1 Apr | 1.90 Jan | 1.90 Jan | 3,180 | 1,000 | 36,740 | 1,000 |
| .... | .... | 2 | .... | .... | .... | 2 | .... | 1.90 | 1.90 | Union Brewery, Ltd. | 500,000 | 200,000 | T10 | Dec. | Div. $1.35, 1933 (Nil 1938) | 27-5-34 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 6 | .... | .... | .... | 6 | .... | .... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Bonds and Preferences** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8% | 5,000 | 5,000 | T100 | Dec. | 4% = $5.59 for ½ year ended Dec. 31, 1934 | 31-12-34 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| 60 | .... | .... | .... | 60 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | do. Cum. Pref. 7% | 7,500 | 7,500 | T100 | Dec. | 3½ = = $4.89 for ½ year ended 31-3-35 | 1-4-35 | 50 Feb | 23 Nov | .... | .... | .... | .... | 317 | .... |
| 55 | .... | 14 | .... | 55 | .... | 14 | .... | .... | .... | Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref. | 100,000 | 80,000 | T10 | Dec. | Div. 8% = $1.12 for 1938 | 26-4-39 | 14 Mar | 13.25 Mar | .... | .... | .... | .... | 2,415 | .... |
| .... | .... | 7 | .... | .... | .... | 7 | 3.60 | .... | .... | Ch. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc. U.S.A. (Pref.) 8% | 600,000 | 205,125 | T5 | Dec. | Quarterly Div. Tls. 0.10 = $0.14, 1933 | 30-12-33 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| 150 | .... | 140 | 3.60 | .... | .... | 140 | .... | .... | .... | Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref. | 10,000 | 9,000 | T100 | Dec. | Div. Tls. 8 = $11.19, 1938 | 27-4-39 | 155 Mar | 140 July | .... | .... | .... | .... | 684 | .... |
| .... | .... | 7 | .... | .... | .... | 7 | .... | .... | .... | New Eng. & Shipbg. Works, Ltd. 8% cum. pref. | 500,000 | 144,500 | T5 | Dec. | 1½% (Mkg. 8% a/c 1935) 8% for 1936, 1937 & 1938 | 16-1-39 | 8.20 Jan | 6.25 Jan | .... | .... | .... | .... | 22,739 | .... |
| .... | 129 | 129 | .... | 129.50 | 130 | 129.50 | .... | .... | 129 | S'hai Power Co. Tls. 6 cum. Pref. stock | 230,000 | 220,000 | T100 | Dec. | 4th Quarterly Div. Tls. 1.50 = $2.0979, a/c-1939 | 5-1-40 | 134 June | 112 Aug | 129 Jan | 128.75 Jan | 380 | 250 | 56,425 | 250 |
| .... | .... | .... | 47½ | .... | .... | .... | 47.50 | .... | .... | Shanghai Tug Lighter Co., Ltd. 7% pref. | 10,000 | 10,000 | T50 | Dec. | Div. Tls. 1.75 = 3½% a/c 1939 | 8-12-39 | 62.50 Dec | 50 Aug | .... | .... | .... | .... | 590 | .... |
| .... | .... | 14½ | .... | .... | .... | .... | 14.50 | .... | .... | S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7 % cum. pref. | 100,000 | 100,000 | T10 | Dec. | 3½ = $0.49 for half year ended 30-6-39 | 27-9-39 | 15 May | 13.50 June | .... | .... | .... | .... | 2,810 | .... |
| .... | .... | 14 | .... | .... | .... | .... | 14 | .... | .... | do. 6½ % cum. pref. | 100,000 | 100,000 | T10 | Dec. | 3¼% = $0.45 for half year ended 30-6-39 | 27-9-39 | 14 Apr | 12 Aug | .... | .... | .... | .... | 6,465 | .... |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Cottons** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 28.60 | 28.70 | 28.60 | .... | 27.70 | 27.80 | 27.60 | .... | 28.90 | 28.20 | Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary | 2,000,000 | 1,350,000 | T5 | Dec. | Int. Div. $1.00 a/c 1939 | Pending | 28 Dec | 15.80 Jan | 28.90 Jan | 28.20 Jan | 42,865 | 12,500 | 3,021,807 | 12,500 |
| 155 | 160 | 160 | .... | 155 | 160 | 156 | .... | .... | .... | Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd. | 240,000 | 240,000 | $50 | Apr. | Div. $5.00 for ½ yr. ended 31-10-39 | 29-11-39 | 172 Oct | 101 Feb | .... | .... | .... | .... | 7,406 | .... |
| 56 | .... | 46 | .... | 56 | .... | 46 | .... | .... | .... | Tung Yih Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd. | 170,000 | 170,000 | $10 | Dec. | Div. $2.50 & Bonus $2.50 & Spec. Div. $5 a/c 1938 | 12-4-39 | 43 July | 40 July | 47 Jan | 47 Jan | .... | 500 | 200 | 500 |
| .... | 50 | 47 | .... | 46 | 48 | 46 | .... | 47 | 47 | Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd. | 200,000 | 150,000 | T10 | June | Div. $7.50 & Bonus $7.50 a/c 1938-39 | 31-10-39 | 46 Nov | 42 Mar | .... | .... | .... | .... | 1,000 | .... |
| | | | | | | | | | | **Plantations** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 40½ | 41½ | 40½ | .... | 38.75 | .... | 37.75 | .... | 41.50 | 40.75 | Alma Estates, Ltd. | 70,000 | 70,000 | (Tls. 9) £1 | Sept. | Fin. Div. $1.50 (Mkg. $2.00 a/c 1938-39) | 22-12-39 | 41 Dec | 18 Feb | 41.50 Jan | 40.75 Jan | 1,000 | 750 | 20,050 | 750 |
| .... | 21½ | 20½ | .... | .... | .... | 19.40 | .... | 22 | 19.80 | Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations, Ltd. | 400,000 | 350,000 | 10s | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.40 a/c 1939) | 12-12-39 | 19.40 Dec | 8.60 May | 22 Jan | 19.80 Jan | 6,200 | 2,750 | 163,497 | 2,750 |
| .... | 42 | 42 | .... | 40 | 40.25 | 40 | .... | 43 | 40.75 | Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd. | 500,000 | 496,000 | 10s | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $0.75 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1939) | 7-12-39 | 40.25 Dec | 13.80 Feb | 43 Jan | 40.75 Jan | 21,400 | 4,850 | 411,837 | 4,850 |
| 41½ | .... | 6.80 | .... | .... | .... | 6.65 | .... | 6.80 | 6.80 | Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd. | 500,000 | 335,499 | T1 | Sept. | Div. $0.20 1938-39 | 12-12-39 | .... | .... | 6.75 Dec | 4.20 May | .... | 6.80 Jan | 27,764 | 500 |
| .... | .... | 2.05 | .... | 1.68 | .... | 1.70 | .... | 2.05 | 1.88 | Batu Anam (Johore) Rub. Ests., Ltd. | 960,000 | 960,000 | T0.10 | Dec. | Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.10 a/c 1937) (Nil 1938) | 12-4-38 | 1.86 Dec | 0.90 Aug | 2.05 Jan | 1.88 Jan | 110,100 | 32,500 | 635,775 | 32,500 |
| 2.02½ | 2.07½ | 2.02½ | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd. | 500,000 | 353,098 | T1 | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $0.15 (Mkg. $0.30 a/c 1939) | 12-12-39 | 9.50 Dec | 3.10 Jan | 9.80 Jan | 9.70 Jan | 6,500 | 3,000 | 201,195 | 3,000 |
| 9.80 | .... | 9.70 | .... | 9 | .... | 9 | .... | 9.80 | 9.70 | Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd. | 1,200,000 | 956,804 | T0.10 | Dec. | Int. Div. $0.05 a/c 1939 | 27-9-39 | 2.90 Dec | 1.04 Apr | 3 Jan | 2.92½ Jan | 56,700 | 30,500 | 632,836 | 30,500 |
| .... | .... | 3 | .... | 2.82½ | 2.90 | 2.85 | .... | 3 | 2.92½ | Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd. | 1,095,850 | 1,051,438 | T0.10 | June | Div. $0.06 a/c 1936-37 (Nil 1938-39) | 13-10-37 | 0.92 Dec | 0.38 Aug | 1.06 Jan | 0.91 Jan | 155,200 | 185,500 | 924,857 | 185,500 |
| 1 | 1.02 | 1.04 | .... | 0.87 | 0.89 | 0.87 | .... | 1.06 | 0.91 | Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd. | 500,000 | 484,837 | 2/- | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.17 a/c 1939) | 15-12-38 | 8.40 Dec | 4.10 May | 8.80 Jan | 8.60 Jan | 15,000 | 10,000 | 339,610 | 10,000 |
| .... | 8.80 | 8.80 | .... | 8.10 | .... | 8.10 | .... | 8.80 | 8.60 | Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd. | 350,000 | 200,000 | T1 | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $0.15 (Mkg. $0.30 a/c 1939) | 12-12-39 | 11.50 Dec | 5.90 Apr | 12.50 Jan | 11.70 Jan | 25,000 | 6,300 | 118,458 | 6,300 |
| .... | .... | 11.90 | .... | 11.20 | 11.40 | 11.20 | .... | 12.50 | 11.70 | Gula-Kalumpong Rub. Ests., Ltd. | 750,000 | 665,000 | £1 | Dec. | Div. 5% 1938 Less I/T (Coupon 35) | 6-4-39 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 62 | .... | .... | .... | 62 | .... | .... | Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests., Ltd. | 850,000 | 750,000 | 2/- | Dec. | Int. Div. $010 a/c 1939 | 23-8-39 | 5.50 Dec | 2.15 Jan | 5.55 Jan | 5.50 Jan | 25,000 | 16,000 | 1,012,155 | 16,000 |
| .... | 5.50 | 5.50 | .... | 5.38 | .... | 5.45 | .... | 5.55 | 5.50 | Kapayang Rubber Estates Co., Ltd. | 15,000 | 14,800 | T10 | Dec. | Final Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1937) (Nil 1938) | 21-3-38 | 24.50 Dec | 17.40 Nov | .... | .... | .... | .... | 3,383 | .... |
| .... | .... | 24½ | .... | 24 | 27 | 24.50 | .... | .... | .... | Kota Bahree Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd. | 500,000 | 461,804 | T0.75 | June | Div. $0.15 a/c 1938-39 | 6-10-39 | 5.90 Dec | 2.50 Apr | 6.20 Jan | 5.90 Jan | 14,000 | 6,000 | 529,960 | 6,000 |
| 6 | .... | 6.20 | .... | 5.70 | 5.75 | 5.75 | .... | 6.20 | 5.90 | Kroewoek Java Plantations, Ltd. | 2,200,000 | 2,200,000 | T0.10 | Dec. | 2nd Int. Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.10 a/c 1939) | 12-12-39 | 3.37½ Dec | 1.13 Jan | 3.40 Jan | 3.35 Jan | 78,350 | 23,000 | 1,971,250 | 23,000 |
| .... | .... | 3.40 | .... | 3.27½ | 3.30 | 3.25 | .... | 3.40 | 3.35 | Langkat | 250,000 | 250,000 | Ga.10 | Oct. | Div. Tls. 0.50 = $0.70, 1928-29 (Nil 1937-39) | 3-3-30 | 28.75 Dec | 8 Feb | 28.50 Jan | 28.25 Jan | 13,900 | 5,600 | 348,387 | 5,600 |
| 28 | 28½ | 28½ | .... | 28 | 28.25 | 28.25 | .... | 28.50 | 28.25 | Padang Rubber Co., Ltd. | 500,000 | 500,000 | T1 | Apr. | Int. Div. $0.04 a/c 1939-40 | 27-10-39 | 3 Dec | 0.94 Apr | 3.10 Jan | 3.05 Jan | 24,150 | 11,000 | 433,250 | 11,000 |
| 3.10 | 3.10 | 3.10 | .... | 2.92½ | 2.95 | 2.85 | .... | 3.10 | 3.05 | Permata Rubber Ests., Ltd. | 350,000 | 317,219 | $1 | Oct. | Int. Div. $0.04 a/c 1938-39 | 6-10-39 | 1.90 Dec | 0.73 Mar | 2.20 Jan | 2.07½ Jan | 5,000 | 7,800 | 92,550 | 7,800 |
| .... | .... | 2.10 | .... | 1.68 | .... | 1.66 | .... | 2.20 | 2.07½ | Repah Rubber & Tapioca Ests., Ltd. | 1,350,000 | 1,350,000 | T0.10 | Dec. | Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09 a/c 1937) (Nil 1938) | 20-4-38 | 1.56 Dec | 0.73 Mar | 1.80 Jan | 1.56 Jan | 44,050 | 59,000 | 370,858 | 59,000 |
| .... | .... | 1.70 | .... | .... | 1.50 | 1.46 | .... | 1.80 | 1.56 | Rubber Trust, Ltd. | 25,000,000 | 1,032,000 | T1 | Sept. | Final Div. $0.15 (Mkg. $0.45 a/c 1938-39) | 19-12-39 | 8.60 Dec | 3.20 Feb | 8.85 Jan | 8.60 Jan | 20,600 | 14,500 | 756,025 | 14,500 |
| 8.75 | 8.90 | 8.75 | .... | 8.45 | 8.50 | 8.50 | .... | 8.85 | 8.60 | Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd. | 6,000,000 | 1,011,000 | T0.10 | Sept. | Div. $0.10 a/c 1938-39 | 22-10-39 | 2.30 Dec | 0.75 Feb | 2.17½ Jan | 2.10 Jan | 8,500 | 14,500 | 271,575 | 14,500 |
| 2.05 | .... | 2.10 | .... | .... | 2.15 | 2.15 | .... | 2.17½ | 2.10 | Semambu Rubber Ests., Ltd. | 900,000 | 900,000 | T0.10 | Dec. | Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09, 1937) (Nil 1938) | 29-3-38 | 1.82 Dec | 0.75 May | 2 Jan | 1.86 Jan | 46,000 | 41,000 | 400,480 | 41,000 |
| .... | .... | 1.98 | .... | 1.72 | .... | 1.70 | .... | 2 | 1.86 | Senawang Rub. Ests. Co. (1921), Ltd. | 1,140,000 | 1,140,000 | T0.10 | Jan. | Int. Div. $0.03 a/c 1939-40 | 25-11-39 | 2.10 Dec | 0.83 May | 2.32½ Jan | 2.15 Jan | 98,900 | 62,000 | 1,176,586 | 62,000 |
| .... | .... | 2.30 | .... | 1.92 | 2 | 1.90 | .... | 3.32½ | 2.15 | Shanghai Kedah Plantations, Ltd. | 400,000 | 300,000 | T1 | Sept. | Fin. Div. $0.40 (Mkg. $0.60 a/c 1938-39) | 28-12-39 | 11.70 Dec | 5.20 Mar | 12 Jan | 11.80 Jan | 2,500 | 2,000 | 98,461 | 2 000 |
| .... | .... | 11.80 | .... | 11.10 | .... | .... | .... | 12 | 11.80 | S'hai Kelantan Rub. Ests. (1925), Ltd. | 1,400,000 | 1,400 000 | T0.10 | Dec. | Int. Div. $0.02 a/c 1939 | Pending | 0.97 Dec | 0.34 Apr | 1.24 Jan | 0.98 Jan | 213, 500 | 252,000 | 2,351,394 | 252,000 |
| .... | 1.18 | 1.18 | .... | 0.93 | 0.95 | 0.93 | .... | 1.24 | 0.98 | S'hai Malay Rub. ) ord. | 30,000 | 30,000 | T10 | Dec. | Div. $0.50 a/c 1939 | 6-10-39 | 30 Dec | 12 May | .... | .... | .... | 133 | .... | 2,895 |
| 30 | .... | 30 | .... | .... | .... | 30 | .... | .... | .... | Ests., Ltd. ) 8% cum. part. pref. | 30,000 | 27,380 | T10 | Dec. | Div. 8% = $1.12 and $0.50 a/c 1939 | 6-10-39 | 42 Sept | 42 Sept | .... | .... | .... | .... | 100 | .... |
| .... | .... | .... | 41½ | .... | .... | .... | 41.50 | .... | .... | S'hai Pahang Rubber Estate, Ltd. | 300,000 | 235,900 | T1 | June | Div. $0.24, 1936-37 (1938-39 Nil) | 15-10-37 | 6.45 Dec | 2.10 Jan | 6.80 Jan | 6.60 Jan | 7,500 | 4,000 | 123

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# Racing Season Closes Today

### Fine Sport Expected on Third Day of New Year Meeting; Programme Composed of Handicaps

By "Cranc"

TODAY the Shanghai Race Club are holding the third and last day of their New Year Race Meeting, it also being the close of their racing for the season. First saddling bell today at 1.15 p.m. The afternoon's programme is made up of handicaps with the exception of one race at half mile, in which the ponies are liable to penalties and allowances in weight, that it is hoped may bring the best and the worst together, and make a good race of it.

There are seven races in all. The half mile, Five handicaps at 9 furlongs, and the New Year Grand Handicap at 11 furlongs. A programme that promises to provide a really interesting afternoon's racing.

From the skill the handicapper has lately been displaying in drawing up his scale of weights, another race, with a finish such as was witnessed on Wednesday in the A class of the Atlantic Handicap, may be seen, when the field enter the home straight to fight out the final furlong for today's big event at 11 furlongs.

**The Pacific Handicap**

The Pacific Handicap open to 1939 griffins at 9 furlongs was well supported with 65 ponies entering, and has been divided into four classes A B C and D. The C class, being a big one, will be run off in two sections, making five races in all. The D class will be the first race this afternoon and has eleven ponies to pick from. Of the lot Roslin has as good a chance as any of winning.

Section 11 of the C class follows, it also having eleven ponies to make a choice from. Crimsonray may win, with Ujadaire and Army Patrol placing. The B class has a bigger quantity to select from, with many that during the meeting have run well. Amongst them Goldie, Hill Song, Lancia and Vigour, I give Goldie to win, with Hill Song and Vigour both likely to place.

The A class should give a good race, but I am inclined to favour Bachelor Prince, as I think his turn of speed at the finish may enable him to snatch victory from Beautiful Hall, who I think may prove his most dangerous opponent.

The big race of the afternoon is The New Year Grand Handicap at 11 furlongs, which may see a field of 12 class ponies weigh out for. White Parade who won the Autumn Champions is top weight with 4 lb. penalty, but is closely followed by Carnival, Joylight and Vim, who each get a 3 lb. penalty. Busted Straight, and Merrylight are both 2 lb. up. Bagshot gets in at his weight for inches, with others from 2 to 18 lb. allowances.

Night Express ran a grand race last Wednesday but distance was then one mile, and against the class he will meet today at 11 furlongs, I don't fancy he can repeat his success, though I look to him to so influence the pace the race is run out at, that no half miler waiting for a rush will win.

## Senior Hockey for This Afternoon

### Racecourse to Witness Some Excellent Play

Four senior hockey matches will be played off this afternoon on the Race course. The Shanghai Hockey Club "A" and both the "A" and "B" teams of the United Hockey Club will see action against Area Details, Khalsa and East Surreys, respectively. The Seaforths, in the last match, will meet the S.M. Police.

The results of all four games should not be too hard to predict. The Shanghai Hockey Club is expected to dispose of Area Details while the United "A" should do the same to the Khalsa side. The two army squads are also picked to win, although the United "B" may give the Surreys a close fight. Tomorrow afternoon will see four junior encounters.

The following teams were announced yesterday:—

United "A" (v. Khalsa):—J. P. Jones; S. A. Collaco, K. M. Pate, J. L. Berglot, L. Oliveira, E. V. Chantural; R. C. Murray, S. E. Karanjia, F. R. Kermani, H. Waldman, T. Bojesen.

United "B" (v. East Surreys):—D. M. Shoolingin, C. G. van der Voort, J. Ladd, R. J. Willis, P. R. Kerman, H. Cohn, R. C. Veir, J. Hetherington, Alex Yourieff, A. P. Canavarro, A. G. Yourieff. Reserves:—S. Wilde, J. Gilchrist.

United "C" (v. S.H.C. "B"):—W. Wolff, S. Wilde, D. M. Shoolingin, E. A. H. Weidman, Brian Smith, A. Samson, E. A. Waller, A. G. L. Richards, J. Gilchrist, D. Crook, H. H. Lawrence.

Reserves:—R. V. Crank, E. J. Harvey, G. Kurspatoff, G. A. Roza.

Khalsa (v. United "A"):—Kernial Singh, Surein Singh, Partab Singh Kung, Charan Singh Sandhu, Arjan Singh, Sujjan Singh Smort, Gurchorn Singh Rajput, Harnam Singh Sant, Sampuran Singh, Sher Singh (captain), Tara Singh Merick.

## Marine Officers Are Outplayed by Whites

### Basketball Fans See Three Good Games

The dope bucket in the Invitation Basketball League at the Foreign Y.M.C.A. was almost turned over last night when the highly-favoured Marine Whites, by dint of a spurt in the last five minutes, overcame the Marine Officers by a score of 46 to 42 and succeeded in keeping their slate clean in the competition.

The Officers had only themselves to blame for not winning as three of their first-stringers were thrown out of the game via the foul route. Lt. Blais received "marching orders" when the game was hardly five minutes old. In the middle of the second half Lt. Robertshaw went out and then with only five minutes to go Lt. Wilde made his exit. The shake-up gave the Whites the break and the ultimate winners had no trouble to run away winners.

Paramount lost to the U. D. Club by 71 to 36 in a scrappy tussle. Both sides fared indifferently and the losers were especially nonchalant thus enabling their opponents to pile up a big lead. At half-time the score stood at 33-22.

In a "B" Division tussle Woo Kwang defeated Nan May by 39 to 35. The winners led by 19-8 at half-time but became careless after the resumptions, thus permitting the losers to catch up.

The summaries were:—

MARINE WHITES

| | fg. | ft. | f. | pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pasko, f. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| Balducci, f. | 3 | 3 | 3 | 9 |
| Korets, c. | 2 | 2 | 3 | 6 |
| Sargent, g. | 3 | 7 | 2 | 13 |
| Goush, g. | 5 | 2 | 2 | 12 |
| | 16 | 14 | 12 | 46 |

MARINE OFFICERS

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Johnstone, f. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blais, f. | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| Stivers, f. | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Robertshaw, f. | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| McCaffrey, f. | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Robinson, c. | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Wilde, c. | 6 | 2 | 4 | 14 |
| Wilhecoft, c. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Honsowetz, g. | 7 | 4 | 4 | 18 |
| Stokes, g. | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| | 18 | 6 | 26 | 42 |

1st half:—
Marine Whites 13, Marine Officers 19.
2nd half:—
Marine Whites 33, Marine Officers 23.

U. D. CLUB

| | fg. | ft. | f. | pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Y. C. Chen, f. | 8 | 3 | 2 | 19 |
| Y. C. Shen, f. | 10 | 1 | 0 | 21 |
| T. T. Lee, c. | 7 | 2 | 1 | 16 |
| S. Y. Pao, g. | 5 | 1 | 0 | 11 |
| S. R. Yen, g. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| | 32 | 7 | 4 | 71 |

PARAMOUNT

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| V. K. Hyui, f. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| T. Chow, f. | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| S. C. Chang, f. | 6 | 0 | 3 | 12 |
| Z. L. Zung, c. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| C. W. Wong, c. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| T. U. Loh, g. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| P. C. Sung, g. | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Y. L. Chia, g. | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| | 18 | 0 | 11 | 36 |

1st half:—U. D. 33, Paramount 22
2nd half:—U. D. 38, Paramount 14

WOO KWANG

| | fg. | ft. | f. | pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| K. Z. Sze, f. | 6 | 2 | 2 | 14 |
| Y. C. Young, f. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| D. S. Wong, c. | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| K. Z. Chung, g. | 6 | 1 | 1 | 13 |
| S. Y. Tan, g. | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| | 18 | 3 | 9 | 39 |

NAN MAY

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| M. H. Yong, f. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| S. C. Liu, f. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| T. S. Lee, f. | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Y. C. Chang, c. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 |
| H. L. Hsu, g. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 |
| C. K. Chin, g. | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| R. Cheng, g. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 |
| R. Cheng, g. | | | | |
| | 16 | 3 | 5 | 35 |

1st half:—Woo Kwang 10, Nan May 8.
2nd half:—Woo Kwang 20, Nan May 27.

## Shanghai Chess Open Tournament

Competition in the Major "A" group of the Shanghai open tournaments was completed at the International Chess Club on Wednesday last. Skobiaeff, by defeating his nearest competitor, Schultzer, who went through ten rounds without a loss, now tops the score in this section. The first seven players who enter the final as a result of the preliminaries are: Skobiaeff 9, Abrosimoff 8½, Schultzer, Baromidze, Spitzer, Fineland 8, Panchenko 7½. The final in Major "A" will commence on Wednesday and at the same time play will be resumed also in the Shanghai championship.

The complete results of the last round were as follows:

Major "A":—Ross 0, Dr. Kollek 1; Pnieff ½, Favstritsky 0; Erkku 0, Fineland 1; Rogoff 0, Efimoff 1; Panchenko ½, Abrosimoff ½; Haritonoff 0, Baromidze 1; Shiffsten 0, Odintseff 1; Schultzer 0, Skobiaeff 1; Froelich ½, Boldman ½; Spitzer 1, Williams 0.

Major "B":—Roudniansky 0, Koptilin 1; Shaniavsky 1, Lange 0; Tokmakoff 1, Shaniavsky 0.

Minor:—Schneider 0, Assey 1; Chernosvitoff 1, Moknieff 0; Tonnochy 1, Beldin 0; Kohlhaaser 1, Ivanoff 0; Uvadieff 0; Pollack 1; Kleiman 0; Ceatell.

## Rowing Club Team to Meet Hotspurs

The following will represent the Oarsmen in a Third Division League match to be played today on R.G. 5 against the Hotspurs. Players to meet at the Rowing Club at 2.15 p.m.

W. O. Franklin, E. Herz, J. Duinker, R. J. Weatherhead, J. Watson, T. Huxley, P. E. Young, A. E. V. Brown, S. Martin, A. Harvey, H. Visser. Reserves: A. Wouda, and J. K. Corneck. st. lb.

## Week-End Football Fixture List

### Five Senior Matches to Be Played; Recs Against S.F.X. Considered Treat

The second round of the Shanghai Football Association League commences today although four games in the previous round are still on the post poned list. Lido will yet play the Surreys and S.F.X., the latter also to meet Tung Hwa, and P.T.H. is to tangle with A.S.F.

Of the five encounters on this week-end's schedule, the meeting of the Recs and S.F.X. this afternoon at the Race course is generally considered as the best treat for followers of the game. The Recs, according to past records, have nine times out of ten succeeded in beating the Schoolboys. Early this season the S.R.C. eked out a 1-nil defeat, but whether the Club players can repeat the story depends largely upon their ability to check the two Saints' wingmen, Foyn and Karolitch.

The lowly Police team will tackle the East Surreys in the other senior match this afternoon at the Race course. The chance for the law officers to break into the winning column is still remote as the soldiers are decidedly a better team. The Police use two new men in the front line, C. Hartley and N. Douglas. It is rather interesting to see Paddy McAloon act as a reserve.

Lido clash with Public Thomas Hanbury at Kiaochow Park tomorrow. The School team did very well recently, having held the Recs to 2-all, and beating Clube Lusitano by a surprising 5-2 score, and the boys should have the courage to give the league-leaders a stiff fight.

Association Sportive Francaise tackle Tung Hwa tomorrow morning at the Canidrome. The Frenchmen have been making rapid progress. Their fine 4-3 victory over the Recs last Tuesday proved that the Chinese must be in top form to make the play even. The Seaforths meet Clube Lusitano tomorrow afternoon in the last senior tussle this week-end on the Race course and ought to score a close victory over the Portuguese, who have not shown good form recently.

**Probable Teams**

The following are the probable line-ups:—

S.F.X.:—Kabbert, Garwood, S. Schultz, Kuai, Greenberg, Edwards, Karolitch, Patterson, K. Schultz, Tuttleman, Foyn.

S.R.C.:—Katz, Mingozzi, Greenberg, Jack, Bulldeath, Archigoff, Favacho, Kapoustin, England, H. Madar, Aldeguer. Reserves:—(Forward-Hart Baker), (Half-back-Oppenheim).

Police:—W. Ward, E. Victal, H. K. Stangaard, T. H. Crook, F. W. Bader, W. D. Westwood, C. Chooklantzeff, P. Duffy, N. Douglas, C. Hartley, J. F. Lovell.

Surreys:—Morris, Harrison, Bird, Deadman, Jelly, Paget, Dennis, Roberts, Kinsella, McClarty, Parr.

Turg Hwa:—P. K. Zing, Eugene Chong, K. T. Lee, T. B. Chang, Z. K. Su, H. V. Woo, T. Van, C. Y. Chien, H. K. Chen, P. H. Woo, Y. L. Chia.

A.S.F.:—Wolfin, Tessier, J. Ward, Jesu, Pecquery, Sevine, Mihaeloff, Yurieff, Bossiet, Segalen, Sbath.

Lido:—T. U. Loh, N. Z. Lee, L. K. Chang, Z. H. Nvien, N. L. Meng, Z. Z. Tsaing, C. T. Tsao, K. S. Suen, K. H. Waung, V. K. Hvui, C. S. Woo.

P.T.H.:—Schneirson, Turner, Logan, Tivoniuk, Lerlou, Caro, Nowrodeff, Kidby, Cochran, Pasklides, Collaco.

Seaforths:—Atkinson, Campbell, Macdonald, McShannon, McCusker, Smellie, Thompson, Duncan, Spiers, Gilmour, Ross.

Lusitano:—M. Souza, L. Marcal, A. Aquino, J. Maher, A. S. da Costa, E. G. da Silva, J. L. Lopes, L. A. Rozario, J. M. Rozario, H. C. Collaco, I. Remedios. Reserves:—M. Carlon, A. Rozario.

## McSpaden Leads Golf Open in Philippines

Manila, Jan. 5.

Jug McSpaden of Boston, who came here by Clipper plane as a guest of the Wack Wack Club, today tied the club's course record with 69 and took the lead in the 1940 Philippines open golf championship. Close at his heels were Emory Zimmerman, another professional player from the United States, T. Miyamoto of Japan and Larry Montes, Filipino champion, with 71. H. Williams of Australia followed with 73, while Norman von Nida, of Australia and defending champion, and Al Zimmerman of the United States were next best with 74. Toito Toda and B. Asami, 76 each, were the other Japanese in the first ten.—United Press.


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### Grand Handicap Steeplechase Will Have None Of English Grand National Restrictions

London, Jan. 5.

THE most valuable race ever staged in Eire, the Red Cross Handicap Steeplechase, will be run at Leopard's Town on Saturday, January 20. It will be worth £3,000, plus £20 each for final acceptors, of which there are 26. The race is an open handicap for five-year-olds and upwards, with none of the restrictive clauses which have applied in late years to the conditions for the English Grand National.

The handicap weights range from 12 stones, 7 lb. on Mr. H. C. M'Nally's Royal Danieli, who was narrowly beaten in the 1938 Grand National, to 10 stones, which is the minimum weight.

Some disappointment is felt over the decision of Sir Alexander Maguire not to race his Workman, winner of the Grand National. Other notable entries that have withdrawn include Sir Francis Towle's brilliant chaser, Airgead Sios and Miss Dorothy Paget's Kilstar, who finished third in last year's Grand National.

Of the original 52 entries, half the number scratched, with the result that 26 final acceptors only were announced today.

The following are the final acceptors, with handicap weights:—

12 7 Mr. H. C. M'Nally's Royal Danieli
12 6 Mr. James V. Rank's Southern Hero
11 12 Lord Bicester's Rockquilla
11 9 Mr. M. Cuddy's Drumlargin
11 6 Lady Lindsay's Antipas
11 2 Mr. F. W. E. Gradwell's Balley Hopeful
11 0 Mr. James V. Rank's Arran Peaks
10 11 Mr. A. W. Paton's Goldscleugh
10 8 Mrs. P. Kiely's Clare County, Mr. Nelson Dixon's Shaun Peel and Mr. P. Dunne Cullinan's West Point.
10 7 Mr. M. C. Collins' Russ, Lt.-Col. S. S. Hill-Dillon's Le Cygne, Mr. Sheehan's Ballyhooley, Mrs. P. Kielly's Birthgift
10 6 Mr. H. L. Egan's Jack Chaucer
10 4 Sir Alexander McGuire's Sterling Duke
10 3 Mr. J. V. Rank's Young Mischief
10 2 Miss B. Kearns' Kockadroican
10 0 Mr. J. T. Purchell's Knight of Venosa, Mr. H. C. M'Nally's Do It Again, Mr. J. P. Herdman's The Slasher, Mr. P. M. Cavana's Asthore, Mr. J. A. Mangan's Swindon Glory and Mr. J. E. Davis's Dalmatian.—Reuter.

## Sports Programme For This Week-end

**Today**

RACING:—Shanghai Race Club Meeting, 1.15 p.m.

RUGBY:—British Army 1st XV *v.* Marines 1st XV, 3 p.m.; Club "A" XV *v.* British Army 2nd XV, 2.30 p.m.

FOOTBALL:—Tsz Ling Cup 3rd Round.—U. T. P. *v.* Area Details, Aurora, 2.00 p.m., T. H. Ho.

1st Division.—S.F.X. *v.* S.R.C. R.G. 1, O. G. R. Beynon. Line: K. Beck, A. W. Day; S.M.P. *v.* Surreys, R.G. 2, F. C. Hale. Line: N. Fadeyeff, W. F. Field.

2nd Division.—J.A.C. *v.* Ching Hwa, Kiaochow, 3 p.m., K. Y. Chang.

3rd Division.—Russ. Club *v.* Xaverians, S.R.C., H. A. Harrs, Old. West *v.* Aurora, Kiaochow, 1.30 p.m., S. P. Nee.

HOCKEY:—Men's Association Friendlies, 1st Division.— 2.15—United "A" *v.* Khalsa (R.G. 3); 3.00—S.H.C. "A" *v.* Area Details (R.G. 6); 3.00—Seaforths "A" *v.* S.M. Police (R.G. 7); 3.30—Unied "B" *v.* East Surreys (R.G. 3).

Ladies' League. "A" Division.—2.45—A.S.P. *v.* S.L.H.C. (Kiaochow Park); 2.45—In Uno *v.* Greens (R.G. 4); 2.45—Erin Villa "A" *v.* Amazons (E. V. Ground).

**Tomorrow**

RUGBY:—Club "B" XV *v.* Japanese Civilians XV, 3 p.m.

FOOTBALL:—Tsz Ling Cup 3rd Round —J. R. C. *v.* Maccabi, R.G. 2, 2.30 p.m., P. Drossel. Sokol v. 3 Cults., Kiaochow, 3.10 p.m., S. Y. Loch.

1st Division.—A. S. F. *v.* Tung Hwa, Canidrome, 10.30 a.m., S. E. Burt. Line:—L. Chang, C. F. Lee, P. T. H. *v.* Lido, Kiaochow, 1.30 p.m., W. T. Sung. Line:—A. G. B. Carnell, F. P. da Silva. Seaforths *v.* Lusitano, R.G. 1, E. M. Marchetti. Line:—A. Hurry, M. Rothschild.

2nd Division—Russ. Regt. *v.* French Forces, R.G. 5, G. E. Knight.

HOCKEY:—Men's Association Friendlies—2nd Division:—2.15—S. H. C. "B" *v.* United "C" (R.G. 3); 3.00—J. R. C. *v.* Seaforths "B" (R.G. 6). 3.00—Municipal Gaol *v.* Sikh Police (R.G. 7). 3.30—S. H. C. "C" *v.* J. A. C. (R.G. 3).

Ladies' League—"B" Division:—2.15—S. J. S. *v.* Betar (R.G. 4). 2.45—J. A. C. *v.* Erin Villa "B" (E. V. Ground). 3.20—J. R. C. *v.* A. S. P. "B" (R.G. 4).


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## Shanghai Golf Club Competitions

The following are the results of the Christmas and New Year Competitions Points Bogey of the Shanghai Golf Club:—

"A" CLASS

| | Score | H'cap | Nett |
|---|---|---|---|
| L. Saphiere | 30 | 6 | 36 |
| R. T. Dwyer | 30 | 2½ | 32½ |
| J. A. Grubb | 30 | 2½ | 32½ |
| J. S. MacDonald | 30 | 2½ | 32½ |
| H. Grubb | 27 | 4½ | 31½ |

74 cards were taken out.

"B" CLASS

| | Score | H'cap | Nett |
|---|---|---|---|
| W. W. Jourdin | 24 | 12 | 36 |
| S. C. Brisk | 16 | 18 | 34 |
| R. MacFarlane | 18 | 15 | 33 |
| E. Jacobs | 21 | 11½ | 32½ |
| D. MacFarlane | 14 | 18 | 32 |

95 cards were taken out

**Result of Draw for Balls**

"A" CLASS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| R. T. Dwyer | 3 balls | card | 46 |
| L. Saphiere | 2 balls | card | 45 |

"B" CLASS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| W. A. MaDonald | 5 balls | card | 40 |
| W. Russell | 2 balls | card | 21 |

**December Competition**

The December monthly medal, results follow:—

"A" CLASS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| D. R. Glass | 77 | 5 | 72 |
| L. D. Carson | 78 | 6 | 72 |
| L. Saphiere | 80 | 8 | 72 |
| H. Grubb | 80 | 6 | 74 |

"B" CLASS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| R. A. Jones | 93 | 24 | 69 |
| W. W. Jourdin | 90 | 16 | 74 |
| L. A. McCants | 96 | 22 | 74 |
| W. C. Farnham | 90 | 15 | 75 |
| S. C. Brisk | 99 | 24 | 75 |

LADIES SECTION

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mrs. J. S. MacDonald | 102 | 20 | 72 |
| Mrs. A. Germ | 87 | 14 | 73 |


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| 6 | Doc | 149 |
| 4 | Fairylight | 156 |
| 4 | Flyaway | 145 |
| 1 | Joylight | 165 |
| 10 | Marble Hall | 147 |
| 4 | Merry Admiral | 149 |
| 4 | Mr. Bubbins | 156 |
| 6 | Stanmore | 155 |
| 5 | Wintrylight | 151 |

FIFTH RACE.
11 Furlongs.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 5 | Bagshot | 155 |
| 14 | Beautiful Hall | 145 |
| 6 | Busted Straight | 154 |
| 4 | Carnival | 158 |
| 20 | Clunieburn | 142 |
| 10 | Columbus | 158 |
| 20 | Danbury | 150 |
| 20 | Doc | 140 |
| 10 | Fairylight | 149 |
| 10 | Flyinglight | 150 |
| 3 | Joylight | 158 |
| 7 | Merry Jester | 151 |
| 5 | Merrylight | 157 |
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# Japanese Deny Defeat in South by Chinese

**Aim of Operations Along Canton-Hankow Railway Achieved; Defenders Said to Be Disorganized**

Canton, Jan. 5.

"THE aim of recent Japanese operations northward of Canton —to destroy the organization and headquarters of Chinese forces under General Yu Han-mou—has been successfully concluded," declared Major Nishihara, former Japanese army spokesman in Shanghai, to Reuter today.

He added that the Japanese army had no intention of occupying Shiukwan or any other towns in Kwangtung at present.

Referring to the withdrawal of Japanese troops from Shumchun, Major Nishihara said it was a friendly gesture to Britain. There was now no cause for suspicion of Japanese aims on the British border, he commented.—Reuter.

Chinese claims of having inflicted a "crushing defeat" upon Japanese forces in northern Kwangtung province were categorically denied yesterday by a Japanese army spokesman.

Basing his denial on reports from the Kwangtung front dated late Thursday night, the spokesman said that Chinese forces were completely disorganized by a Japanese counter-offensive launched on December 25 and brought to an end on January 2 when Japanese troops halted their advance to reorganize, having achieved their original objective.

The army spokesman also confirmed press reports that Gen. Yu Han-mou, acting commander-in-chief of Chinese forces in the Fourth War Zone, had fled towards Chihing.

Chinese forces encountered during operations at Omni were defeated without exception, Japanese forces inflicting heavy losses on the Chinese troops, he said.

There were no organized Chinese forces south of the Yungyun highway, he said. The only remaining Chinese troops in that area consisted solely of the defeated remnants, the spokesman declared basing his assertion on official field dispatches sent on Thursday night.

**Chinese Defeat Imminent**

Canton, Jan. 5.

Lacking effective leadership and supplies, Chinese troops in the mountainous region east of the Canton-Hankow Railway in north-eastern Kwangtung were confronted with immient defeat at the hands of Japanese forces surrounding them, dispatches from the field claimed today.

Chinese resistance in this area was said to be on the verge of collapse following the departure of Gen. Chang Fa-kwei and Gen. Yu Han-mou. The former was said to have withdrawn to Lokchong, while Gen. Yu was reported to be at Chihing.

Following the capture of Samhwachen, former base of Gen. Yu, east of Yungyun, Japanese detachments discovered troops of the 151st and 153rd Divisions attempting to break through their lines in the vicinity of Puchong, about 20 kilometres south of Samhwachen.

In the ensuing battle the Chinese left 1,300 slain, field reports said.

**Orders Captured**

During a surprise raid on a communications post in the same sector Japanese patrols captured several Chinese liaison officers and seized military documents.

Orders relating to operations disclosed that the Chinese forces were disorganized and that their high-ranking commanders employed inferior strategy, according to the reports.

It was further claimed that troops of the 153rd Division, although ordered by Gen. Yu to advance and attack the Japanese, were retreating toward Liangkiati.

Resistance of the 186th Division likewise was reported to be crumbling. The commander of this unit was said in the field dispatches to have fled into mountains four kilometres north of Samhwachen with about 900 men, after leaving behind most of his subordinates.—Domei.

**Yunnan Railway Bombed Again**

Hongkong, Jan. 5.

Japanese aerial bombs razed several sections of the Yunnan-Indo-China Railway in another mass raid carried out shortly before noon yesterday, Chinese reports from Kunming admitted today.

The railroad was said to be barely maintaining operations by making detours around blocked areas.

Bombs were rained on Mengtze, an important town in southern Yunnan.—Domei.

**Chinese Officers Surrender**

Hankow, Jan. 5.

Two adjutants, three company commanders and 87 officers and men of the Chinese 19th Division surrendered on Tuesday to the Japanese garrison at Lonshian, about 35 kilometres south of Yochow, according to a field dispatch received here today.

The 19th Division was ordered by Gen. Chiang Kai-shek to attack Yochow in line with the so-called "winter offensive."—Domei.

# Lying in Path of Armoured Car

**Inquest Continues on Indian; "Felt Two Bumps" Says Policeman**

How a foreign police sergeant, who, in the early hours of December 13 was travelling inside an S.V.C. armoured car weighing 3½ tons, felt two bumps when proceeding along Robison Road and how he got out of the vehicle to find an Indian watchman, Bishen Singh, lying flat on his back in the middle of the thoroughfare, was described at an inquest held in H.M. Police Court yesterday. Heard before Mr. C. H. Haines, H.M. Coroner, the inquest was on Bishen Singh, who died later in the General Hospital from his injuries which included fractured vertebrae. At a previous hearing evidence had been given that Bishen Singh was lying in the road when a police search van and the armoured car in which the policeman witness was a passenger, were proceeding towards him.

Dr. I. G. Anderson, who was the first witness called at yesterday's hearing, told the Coroner that Bishen Singh was under his care in the General Hospital on December 13 and that he died on December 14. Describing his injuries, Dr. Anderson stated that there was some bruising at the back of the left shoulder but there were no injuries or bruises on the arms or legs.

The injuries, he said, were directed towards the left side of the body. Probably the force had been directly from behind. The injured man did not look as if he had been run over and crushed and the injuries were consistent with the offside wheels passing over the point of the shoulders. The fracture of the ribs was in line with the front fold of the arm pit. "I would have expected more damage to the ribs if the vertebrae were broken as well," he added. "It is not likely that the vertebrae would be broken without breaking the ribs."

**Fracture of Vertebrae**

The doctor continued that there was no indication that something had gone across the back. The injury to the vertebrae might have been caused by a wheel passing over the left shoulder and the spine resting on a stone or something like that. Answering Mr. Haines, Dr. Anderson stated that he did not notice a smell of alcohol in Bishen Singh's breath. The man regained consciousness but he did not say anything important. His death was directly due to his injuries, which suggested his having been run over by only one vehicle. There were no injuries to the head. Dr. Anderson added that the man's injuries gave him the impression that he had been knocked down.

Questioned by Mr. P. Watkin Williams, representing the S.M.C., Dr. Anderson stated that the ribs were each broken in one place. They were all broken inwards. The breaking of the ribs could not have caused a fracture of the vertebrae. It was possible that the injuries to the vertebrae were not caused at the same time as the injuries to the clavicle and ribs.

For the benefit of the witness, Mr. Haines then explained that a Chinese woman, who had given evidence at a previous hearing, had stated that she saw this man lying on the road and had seen two vehicles coming along. She had shouted to the driver of a police search van, which had passed between her and the man on the road. The driver of the armoured car, the Coroner stated, had given evidence that he felt two bumps. "It seems quite obvious," Mr. Haines went on, "that the man was lying flat on his back when it looked as if this particular van went over him. What is not clear is, was this man free of injury when this van went over him?"

**Two Bumps**

Dr. Anderson stated that the only answer he could give was that the injuries were consistent with the wheel of a vehicle weighing 3½ tons having passed over the left shoulder. The injuries to the vertebrae, he said, could have been caused by a vehicle having run into him from behind when he was in a standing position. If that had happened he would have been unable to move and would have remained where he fell.

Foreign Sergeant George Skibin of the S.M.P. told the Coroner that on the night of December 13 he was on duty in armoured car, No. 6, on Robison Road, with armoured car, No. 2, in the rear. At about 2.47 a.m. when the armoured car was proceeding from north to south along Robison Road. Witness was sitting to the right of the driver and slightly to his rear. He was looking towards the front and he noticed a Chinese woman cross the road. When she was to the right of the car he felt two bumps and, knowing the road to be in a good condition, he was puzzled and told the driver to stop.

Upon getting out of the car he saw an Indian lying on the road. "He was almost in the middle of the road and flat upon his back," witness added, "and was unconscious." After calling for an ambulance witness examined the Indian more closely. "When I bent over him," he said, "he was moaning and there was a smell of alcohol from his mouth. It was very noticeable. I noticed that he didn't move."

Witness said that he did not see any marks on the man's shoulder although his overcoat was soiled at the bottom. His turban was lying about two to three feet to the west of him. When the ambulance men picked him up his left arm hung limp. The armoured car had dim lights, witness said, and the street lighting was very poor. The enquiry was then adjourned until Monday.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

**Colonel Peck Calls on Heads of Council**

*The new commander of the Fourth United States Marines, Col. De Witt Peck, called yesterday morning at the S.M.C. Administration Building to pay his respects to the Chairman of the Council. He was accompanied by his chief-of-staff, Lt.-Col. C. I. Murray. Above, the American commander is seen inspecting the guard of honour provided by the Russian Regiment, S.V.C. Col. Peck also called on Col. J. W. Hornby, Commandant of the S.V.C., yesterday morning.*

# Japanese Diet May Be Dissolved

**Premier Determined to Ignore Opposition By Political Parties**

Tokyo, Jan. 5.

Gen. Nobuyuki Abe, Premier, was believed to be determined to dissolve the Diet in the event a clash takes place between opposition members and the Cabinet after sessions are resumed on January 23, the popular daily "Yomiuri" reported last night.

The Premier was said by the paper to be prepared to maintain in the Diet sessions his present attitude of adhering to existing Cabinet policies in face of non-confidence expressed by a group of 250 members.

The question under consideration now, according to the journal, was how progress in setting up a new central government in China would affect Japan's political situation.

Keeping the domestic situation in view, General Abe intended to give consideration to the anti-administration movement led by the Diet group, provided that measures for settlement of the China conflict reach a "certain stage," the "Yomiuri" further stated.

**Regime Must Materialize**

The paper defined this stage as one in which not only informal arrangements for creation of the new régime, but definite materialization of these plans shall have been completed.

After retiring from the Imperial Palace, where he attended New Year ceremonies, the Premier had separate talks with the Cabinet Secretary and the Ministers. He heard reports on the opinions of senior statesmen regarding recent political events.—Domei.

# Straw Hut Village Afire; Three Chinese Killed

**Two Industrial Places Off Ferry Road Also Swept**

Antoher colony of straw huts, with two adjacent "native" industrial establishments, was wiped out by fire yesterday morning. Two Chinese women and a Chinese boy were burned to death.

The hut settlement was situated in "Acid Lane," off Ferry Road, and the flames were discovered at about 9.30 o'clock. Approximately 100 straw dwellings were razed, and besides a waste-cotton godown was badly damaged and a stone pulverizing factory slightly.

The flames burned out of control for about an hour and twenty minutes. Altogether, Settlement firemen spent more than three hours at the scene.

Two bodies of women and one of a small boy were found in the ruins as the firemen advanced.

The fire was one of five fought by the Settlement Brigade before 12 o'clock noon yesterday. One of the others occurred before 2 a.m., in the upper part of a Chinese curio shop at 47 Kiangse Road, in "curio row."

# Japanese Trade Experts In Moscow

Moscow, Jan. 5.

A Japanese trade delegation of six experts arrived here yesterday and was welcomed by high Russian officials, including the Vice-Commissar of Foreign Trade, M. Yuri Kaganovich, the Chief Protocal of the Foreign Office, M. Vladimir Barkoff, and others.

It was understood that the Japanese mission hopes to sell electrical machinery, ships, fishing equipment, and silk to Russia and buy oil, coal, metal, and ores for Japan.—United Press.

# Lives of Japan's Naval Heroes Recorded

**First Volumes Tell of Shanghai Fighting**

Tokyo, Jan. 5.

Hopeful of completing the first volume by the third anniversary of Japanese naval activities around Shanghai, compilers have started work on a book, "The Story of Patriotic and Loyal Soldiers in the China Incident," the Ministry of Navy announced today.

The voluminous work will list the names of all Japanese naval soldiers killed in the China conflict, their biographies and fighting records.

The first volume will record the names of the naval officers and men killed from August 9 to August 23, 1937 during activities in the Shanghai area.

The volumes will be distributed among the families of the dead Japanese naval men and officers and in Japanese Naval circles.

Captain Shoichiro Kita is serving as editor-in-chief in charge of compilation of the first volume.—Domei.

## Chamber Music Concert

The third chamber music concert held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Tewksbury was entirely given to Schubert. Increasingly the spirit of these evenings seems to be the recaptured spirit of the composer in his original setting of intimate expressions of beauty.

Hans Baer, at the piano, and Prof. Alfred Wittenberg and Leo Schoenbach, violin and cello, respectively, were more than ever a complete and balanced unit, which is not difficult to understand when one considers that the first number, the Sonata in A minor, Op. 137 (No. I) was played by Mr. Baer and Prof. Wittenberg 20 years ago in Berlin.

The piano Sonata in A major Op. 120 was an ordered sequence of new and lovely patterns. The gay Allegro moderato contrasted exquisitely with the serious Andante, and the final Allegro demanded the utmost technical skill.

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## Defence Reductions in Philippines

Manila, Jan. 5.

President Manuel Quezon is planning a substantial reduction in defence appropriations in the belief that an enormous outlay for defence is useless and wasteful in the event of future powerful aggression against the Philippines, the Manila "Bulletin," quoting military authorities, reported today. The Army budget is 16,000,000 pesos annually over a ten-year period, plus special outlays. However, at present there is a surplus of 3,000,000 pesos not yet spent. The newspaper said there would possibly be a fundamental change in national defence policies.—United Press.


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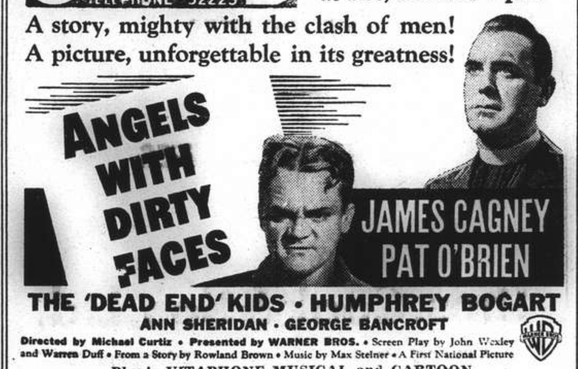


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## DEATHS

SHERIDAN.—At Greystones, Ireland, ERIN, aged 15, beloved son of Anna and the late John James Sheridan. Buried at Achill, Co. Mayo. (by cable.) -217

HARRIS.—On January 1, 1940, at Joplin, Missouri, MRS. SARAH HALL HARRIS, aged 73 (by cable). Funeral services were held at the family burial ground near Columbia, Boone Co., Mo. Deceased is survived by Mr. M. J. Harris, Shanghai, Mrs. J. S. Harris, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and a daughter, Mrs. Cowgill Blair, Joplin, Mo. 10106

RUTHERFORD.—On Friday, January 5, 1940, suddenly at Shanghai, HERMIONE BAYNE RUTHERFORD, aged 42 years, the dearly-beloved wife of Norman Hubert Rutherford. Funeral services will be held at the Bubbling Well Cemetery today Saturday, January 6 at 4 p.m. 10097

BEHRENS.—On January 5, 1940, at Shanghai, Mrs. JENNY BEHRENS, aged 68 years, dearly-beloved mother of Mrs. Anne Mooney and Mrs. F. O. Madar. The funeral will take place at the Hungjao Road Cemetery on Monday, January 8, at 3 p.m.

PAPE.—On January 5, 1940, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, HENRY CRAWFORD PAPE, aged 46 years, beloved husband of Gladys Mary Pape. The funeral (cremation) service will be held in the Bubbling Well Cemetery Chapel on Monday, January 8, at 4 p.m.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. A. GIOULIS and FAMILY wish to thank the friends of late Emma Krill, for kindness and forbearance extended to their niece and cousin during her illness and for expression of sympathy, floral tributes and attendance at the funeral. -247

Mr. and Mrs. I. K. KWAN and FAMILY wish to thank all their friends and relatives for the messages of sympathy and for the beautiful flowers sent during their recent bereavement. 10107

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## DELUDING THE GERMANS

As it was expected President Roosevelt's message to Congress is regarded by the Wilhelmstrasse as "the most violent anti-German speech he has ever made," and there can be no doubt that it has aroused considerable indignation amongst the Nazi leaders. But the President was careful to refrain from naming any country, and to enter such a verdict as that given in Berlin is to make the confidently expected admission that the cap did fit after all. Singularly enough, but important as showing to what lengths German propaganda will go, it is reported in Netherlands' newspapers that the propaganda machinery has been put in motion to turn his words of criticism into terms of commendation for the consumption of the German people. When accounts of what is broadcast from Berlin for the information of German listeners-in are read it is possible to understand how Herr Hitler's doctrine that any lie will stick so long as it is big enough is being applied in duping the German people. Not only that, it is possible to understand why the Nazis should inflict severe punishment upon Germans found guilty of listening to broadcasts from abroad. The task of turning the President's condemnation of German aggression into words of commendation is not so enormous as it would appear at first blush, for the inventors of the fabricated account have little fear that their version will be immediately corrected, and are certain that their lie will have a long lease of life before it is eventually run to earth,—if ever. Apart from the invention of taradiddles, in which Dr. Goebbels' ministry has shown itself so adept, the various messages of Nazi leaders over the New Year, in themselves form an interesting subject for study. Each of them appears to breathe nothing but the completest confidence in the future success of German arms. It would, of course, be foolish if the leaders were to admit to their people the anxieties as to the future which they are undoubtedly suffering, and the importance of the factors which have produced that hesitancy in Berlin which is now so noticeable.

Field-Marshal Goering speaks of the readiness of the German air arm to raid the British Isles directly Herr Hitler gives the word. It is known on the other hand that he does not approve of any such attempt, and it is reported that the dissension between Herr Hitler and himself is such that he will not order the German air force into that action without first receiving his instructions in writing from his leader. Who can blame him? He realizes that when it comes to taking air action, it is a game at which two can play, and the British and French air forces are now at such a strength that they can be confidently expected not only to inflict enormous damage upon any raiding force which may be sent up, but can also repay bombing in exactly the same currency. On balance, as a result of the various engagements between Allied and German fliers, it may safely be alleged that while the issue as to who shall have command of the air has not yet been decided, the definite superiority of the Allied air forces, as shown by the results of encounters since the commencement of hostilities, gives every possible support to the view that they should in the not too distant future secure that command to which the Nazis have been making completely unsubstantiated claims. In the air the Germans have suffered much more than the Allies, and all their propaganda designed to convince the world of the contrary has failed. There is a disposition amongst some critics of the Allied propaganda campaign to aver that the Nazis are superior in this branch of warfare. Those who think that are misled by an occasional success in which the Germans actually broadcast a truthful item of news some time before the Allies. But a closer examination of the German methods show that they have inherent qualities which contribute to their own defeat. The hullabaloo which was made after the bomb incident at Munich, which, in highly-suspicious circumstances, was attributed by the Reich authorities to British machinations, has died down. The whole story was received with outspoken scepticism throughout the world, and though an arrest is alleged to have made, and two British officials kidnapped over the Netherlands' border, the world has not yet been told all the full details of the story which Berlin promised it.

Another similar instance is to be found in the alleged sinking of the Ark Royal. Despite Admiralty denials that the aircraft carrier had been sunk or even injured, Berlin persisted in its claim right up to the time of the flight of the Admiral Graf Spee into Montevideo. Then while the vessel remained in refuge, reports were carried by the German news agency that amongst the vessels hurrying to the Uruguayan port to thwart any attempt she might make to escape was a vessel of the Ark Royal type, while later it was admitted by the same agency that it was in fact the Ark Royal which visited Rio de Janeiro. The graceful correction of the earlier lie does not, however, hide the fact that in this instance, as in so many others, truth had eventually to out, and prove the untruthfulness of the original German claim. If such examples as these were not sufficient to prove the ineptitude of German propaganda, the Herr Hitler's doctrine, concerning the use of the lie as a political weapon, justifies the world at large in assuming that any particular item of alleged information emanating from Berlin must of necessity be open to the gravest suspicion. Herr Hitler forges the weapon and Dr. Goebbels uses it, and the sorry effect of it all is that even when the German Ministry of Propaganda tells the truth, experience teaches the world to suspend judgment until what the Allies have to say on the subject becomes known. At home German propaganda may have some sort of success in deluding the German people because they have access to no other information. Abroad the story is an entirely different one. In Britain and France there is no prohibition against persons listening to whatever broadcasting station they wish. That in itself is the best possible form of propaganda, for it proves conclusively that whereas the Allies have nothing to fear from the truth, the German leaders have a great deal. Otherwise, why seek to change President Roosevelt's condemnation into commendation?

## Paradoxical Pettigo

It has been left to the Irish to provide one of the strangest paradoxes of the war. Like the "merry town of Roundabout that makes the world go round," the invention of G. K. Chesterton, also a literary paradox, the tiny town of Pettigo, in Northern Ireland, is a geographical and juridical headache. It seems that the border between Northern Ireland and Eire cuts the town in half so that while Northern Ireland is at war with Germany, the portion within Eire is strictly neutral, and judging from the pictures the border line seems to run down the main street. Imagine the contrasts. While Northern Ireland, strictly plunged into the business of war with black-outs, dug-outs and gas masks part of compulsory defence measures, the other part of the town within Eire, being strictly neutral, can display flashing lights, refuse to wear gas masks or live in dug-outs. The conditions and restrictions of both administrations are observed. A photographer may photograph a dug-out from across the street on the Eire side, but cannot do it on the other side. Two complete sets of local governments, school systems, customs officers and police forces are in existence and as each differs in the official attitude towards the hostilities now being waged against Germany there are bound to be "incidents." As bombing aeroplanes cannot be described as respectors of persons of property, and no bomb equipment has yet been devised which can differentiate between one side of the street and the other, it is only natural that some sort of compromise should be reached between the belligerent and neutral residents of the town, with its 400 inhabitants. One compromise arrangement has been reached and that is the belligerant inhabitants have prevailed upon the neutrals the necessity of a complete black-out if defence measures are to continue, and this arrangement is now in existence, But with that independence so typically Irish, Pettigo is both at peace and at war with Germany and a few inches across the main road decide the issue.

## Nazi Terror in Poland

A member of the Polish colony in Shanghai received several days ago a letter from the part of Poland which is at present under German occupation. From the information it contained, written in bad German, it is possible to gather in what terrible conditions people are now living in this unhappy country which only four months ago was a home of a peaceful and industrious nation. The writer very cautiously explains that at present he can write in German only *weil man muss so schreiben* and states that the reply should be in the same language *schreibe zurueck aber bloss in der deutschen Sprache.* Continuing, the writer requests his relatives to send him some money as he has no job now and asks them to write only about family affairs as otherwise the letter will not be delivered *bitte schreibe nur die Familien Nachrichten weil anderseits uns der Brief nicht ausgegeben wird.* From the whole letter the tragedy of the Polish people under the German rule can be appreciated. They are forced to use German language, forced to abandon their homes, but forbidden to go abroad; even women and children cannot do so. They are doomed to death through hunger and cold. Practically all foodstuffs were confiscated by Germans and sent away to Germany. Most of buildings were destroyed and no repairs were allowed. No coal or other kind of fuel is available, although this means a death warrant, in the present cold weather in Poland, for hundreds of thousands of destitute people. This form of ruthlessness against a subjugated nation is all of a piece with that brutality with which the world has become all too familiar. The fate of the Poles is no concern of the Reich so long as it is able to wrest from them whatever the country can produce for the upkeep of a desperate Germany, and whatever German minorities may have suffered prior to Herr Hitler's embarkation upon the aggrandisement of Germany pales into insignificance when compared with what the Reich is inflicting upon those people unfortunate to have lost their struggle against it.

## Lord Lothian Predicts

The prediction of Lord Lothian, British Ambassador to the United States, that Germany would launch a terrific attack by land, air, and sea, using every weapon in her armoury, in the early spring, is probably just as good a guess as any in this entirely strange, new war. A successful blow against Britain's sea-power is, to all intents, and purposes, the only way to an early German victory, and a quick victory is just as imperative now for Germany as it was when hostilities first commenced, despite Herr Hitler's boast that he was prepared to fight on for five years if necessary. There is information available to show that the economic blockade is already having its effect in Germany, and while it may not at the present be so formidable as it will be in a few more months, the continually tightening stranglehold which is being maintained upon the Reich must force its leaders to make important decisions in the near future. Lord Lothian expected that the attack will be made with all the ferocity, and ruthlessness which the Nazis have taught the world to anticipate. It would be foolish to believe anything else. Britain is prepared physically and morally for such an onslaught and will not be dismayed as the passing weeks bring closer the pending offensive. It is more than likely that before that comes further peace feelers will be thrown out in the hope that the prospects of considerable unpleasantness will cause the Allies to falter in their determination to root out the evil which has fastened itself upon Europe. Those feelers will fail, for no peace can be acceptable which permits any continuation of the present Nazi regime and its perpetual threat to the peace of Europe. For the moment the initiative rests entirely with Germany, and should its rulers decide to force the pace they will find the Allies ready and willing to return blow for blow, and bomb for bomb, but always with the saving grace that they will not descend to the depths to which the Nazis have already descended. In that fact lies the best prospects for the safety of the German civilian.

## IN PARENTHESIS

**Wrong Man**

THE sergeant rebuked the private angrily: "Jones, why haven't you shaved this morning?"
"Well," said Jones, "a dozen of us were using the same bit of glass, and I must have shaved somebody else."

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**Sarcasm**

"DON'T you think, dear," asked one sweet thing, "that Im getting younger every day?"
"Yes, daring," cooed the other sweet one. "I should never be surprised to see your name in the Births column."

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**The Sweep Comments**

"THERE you are," said The Sweep, "what did I tell yer?"
"I dunno," I said.
"You don't remember what I said three weeks ago?" asked The Sweep.
"No," I said.
"Cor crikey," said The Sweep. "Three weeks ago on a Wednesday night, or it might have been a Thursday...."
"Or a Friday," I said.
"No, it wasn't a Friday," said The Sweep, "because that's me bath night."
"Oh," I said.
"It was a Thursday," said The Sweep, "because old Fred was in the bar."
"I see," I said.
"Peraps you don't know old Fred?" asked The Sweep.
"No, I don't," I said.
"Well, never mind," said The Sweep. "Three weeks ago I was sayin to you and old Fred.... Cor luvaduck you mûst remember old Fred. He was the one that bought you a pint."
"I remember," I said.
"I was saying to you and old Fred," said The Sweep, "that little old Itler's next move would be to arsk us to elp im fight the Rooshians."
"Yes," I said.
"As a bulwark agin Bolshevism," said The Sweep.
"That's right," I said.
"And whats appened now?" asked The Sweep.
"No idea," I said.
"Why, cor sufferin Mike," said The Sweep, "its in the papers,"
"Blimey," I said.
"And before the Rooshians git to the French frontier," said The Sweep, "we might be arsked to elp."
"Quite likely," I said.
"And as there's a undred and eighty millions of them," said The Sweep, "you and me might ave to join up agin after all."
"Too true," I said.
"Still," said The Sweep, "you don't want to git the wind up."
"I avn't," I said.
"You might as well ave a binder for the road and make your miserable life appy," said The Sweep.
"All right," I said.
"Up she goes," said The Sweep.
"And down she goes," I said.
"See you in Moscow," said The Sweep. "Cor chase my Aunt Fanny round the Kremlin."
"Cor chase my Aunt Fanny round Siberia," I said.
—Nat Gubbins in the "Sunday Express."

## THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

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| Yesterdy | Min. | 65.0 | Max. | 72.0 |
| Same date, 1939 | Min. | 27.5 | Mar. | 40.0 |

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

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| Yesterday | Min. | 38.8 | Max. | 72.3 |
| Same date, 1939 | Min. | 28.0 | Max. | 32.9 |

**Siccawei's Report**

State on the morning of the 4th:—Low and steady pressure over China and Japan. Depression crossing Mongolia east-south-eastward. South-westerly winds to the north of the Saddles. Variable in the south. Fine and cold weather in China.

State on the morning of the 5th:—Fine and cold weather. South-westerly breezes. Pressure low and steady.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine and cold weather getting variable with south-westerly to north-westerly winds over Shantung and our regions: south-westerly to south-easterly over the Eastern Sea.—Siccawei Observatory.

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# Russian Planes Bomb Finns on March

**Patrols Enter Soviet Territory and Harry Soviet Troops Behind Salla Front Lines; Aittajoki Retaken; Reds Repulsed at Kuhmo**

Rovaniemi, Jan. 5.

WHILE the Finns continued their intensive patrol warfare behind the Russian lines at Salla, Russian planes today bombed and machine-gunned Finnish columns marching to positions at various points. Results of the Russian air attacks were not revealed. During the past few days the Russians have sent small squadrons of from three to nine planes over northern Finland from two bases, Kandalaksja and Uhtua, in an effort to damage Finnish communications and impede transportation to the front.

Apart from the destruction of an apartment house at Uleaborg on Wednesday, when three persons were killed, little damage was reported. Air raid alarms again sounded at Uleaborg on Thursday but no Russian planes appeared. Renewed rumours that the Murmansk Railway has been severely damaged and cut were neither confirmed nor denied by authoritative Finnish sources today.

On the Salla front it was admitted that Finnish patrols penetrated as far as Kandalaksja, the Russian base on the White Sea, at a distance of about 70 kilometres between the frontier and the Murmansk Railway.

After the defeat of the Russian forces at Tolvajaervi, it was officially admitted that the Finns were pursuing the Red troops and had crossed the Russian border, Finnish observers said.

Even without Finnish interference, informed circles pointed out, the Murmansk Railway is always a problem, mainly because its single track has been blocked up several times recently with troop transports. Therefore, these circles said, it was possible that Russian cities on the northern end of the railway were cut off from supplies even if the line was not severed.

### Finns Fight on Russian Soil

Finnish troops have penetrated Russian territory at four different points, military authorities said here yesterday. They did not specify what points had been penetrated but implied that they where the Finns had entered Russian territory were at widely separated sites along the frontier from the Arctic Sea to Lake Ladoga. Also, they did not specify whether patrols or large bodies of troops had penetrated the Russian soil. It was supposed that only patrole had made the penetration. It was therefore assumed that the front has not yet moved into Russia in this region.

It was rumoured at Copenhagen that the Murmansk railroad had been cut in two places and that two bridges had been destroyed, severing the Russian connection between Lenigrad and Kola, isolating the towns of Murmansk and Krovsk. This would render 50,000 inhabitants of the region short of food-stuffs.—United Press.

### Finns Take Aittajoki

Helsinki, Jan. 5.

Finnish forces captured Aittajoki yesterday and repulsed a Russian attack at Kuhmo, which was supported by tanks and artillery, a Finnish war communique reported last night. The communique said the Finns repulsed all Russian attempts to recapture strategic sites. The opposing forces were fighting east of Suomussalmi and around Salla, the communique confirmed.

Russian planes bombed Hanko in the morning and afternoon, it was said. Forty or fifty incendiary bombs were dropped in the city, but slight damage resulted. The communique claimed that Finnish patrols off Fort Voivikr captured a Russian tug boat, but the vessel sank after its capture.

The recent freezing of the Finnish lakes have rendered Soviet efforts to advance much more difficult. They had evidently relied upon the lakes to facilitate their thrust into Finland but the Finnish resort in using night lighting has blocked their hoped for advance. The open spaces of the lakes are usually only a few miles wide and afford a great field of fire for the Finnish guns.—United Press.

### Russian Warship Damaged

Helsinki, Jan. 5.

A message from Tallinn says that three Russian tug-boats have arrived at Tallinn, towing the damaged Russian warship Kiropyhich. The vessel, apparently damaged by Finnish coastal batteries, will require at least four months to make her seaworthy.—Reuter.

### Russian Spy Ring Revealed

Stockholm, Jan. 5.

The Finns have uncovered a big Russian espionage ring in the far north and have executed its leaders, it was reported today.

Successes scored by the Russians on the Petsamo front of the far north in the early days of the war were attributed to this ring, according to the reports received here. The Russian secret police, the reports said, had succeeded in enlisting some Finnish citizens and even some soldiers as operatives. The ring was said to have been operating for eight years and to have numbered 60 men and women, with a Finnish captain and lieutenant as leaders. The captain was reported to have committed suicide just before the spies were rounded up.—United Press.

## Finn Fliers Fetch British Planes

**Sledges as Ambulances Ordered; Mechanization Proves Weakness of Reds**

Amsterdam, Jan. 4.

Bound for Britain to bring back planes for the Finnish armed forces, several Finnish airmen in the past few days have passed through the Netherlands from Stockholm. Most of them took the route through Shipholm aerodrome. The men will fly British planes back to Finland it was stated here, for quick delivery is an essential in the extension of all aid.—Havas.

### British Arms Sent Finns

London, Jan. 4.

British munitions factories have started to send arms and ammunition to Finland, the "Evening Standard" reported today. Units of the British Fleet, it added, are keeping in watch to see that the supplies reach their destination. Britain intends to grant as many as possible licences for the export of war material to Finland, the newspaper declared, but always will keep her own needs in the forefront.—Havas.

### Ambulance Sledges

Oslo, Jan. 5.

Finland has placed orders here for 300 ski-sledges for transporting wounded. Norway is sending a further 200 ski-sledges to Finland. Thirty Norwegian doctors and various nurses have answered the Finnish appeal for medical assistance.—Reuter.

### Mechanization Discounted

Helsinki, Jan. 4.

The ambition of every modern army is to become as highly mechanized as possible, but with the Red Army, mechanization has proved disastrous in the Finnish campaign, Finnish military experts commented today.

Sprinkled with lakes, Finland, with her vast forests and her snow and ice, is the country for man and not motor-power. Moreover, the same men stated, Soviet tanks are technically inefficient.

Since in civilian life, the average Russian sees comparatively little machinery, he is bewildered when confronted in military life with a disproportionately high amount of mechanized equipment. The Soviet soldier therefore has a hard time learning to use tanks, armoured cars and lorries, the Finns asserted.

Another factor in Finland's successes to date against the numerically superior Soviet troops, the military experts concluded, is that spare parts for Red Army mechanized units are hard to obtain because of transport difficulties behind the Soviet lines.—Havas.

## Strong Danish Reply to German Warning

**"National Tidende" on Help for Finland**

Copenhagen, Jan. 5.

The "National Tidende" today gives a vigorous reply to Germany's recent warning.

"We state openly," the newspaper declares, "that hitherto we had not imagined that Germany could find it necessary to warn northern countries against allowing their territory to be used for military purposes by the Great Powers. Such a possibility does not exist." One further thing we must make absolutely clear; moral, material, and military claims are put too high when they demand that the Nordic peoples shall prevent two great Powers from bringing help to Finland, which is menaced by the superior forces of Bolshevism."—Reuter.

### Neutrals Must Leave League

Copenhagen, Jan. 5.

Germany will soon inform neutral Powers that they cannot retain their membership in the League of Nations and remain neutral "because the League is dominated by England and France," the "National Tidende" Berlin correspondent learned today from authoritative sources.—United Press.

## Chinese Laundrymen of Graf Spee Returning

Montevideo, Jan. 5.

Five Chinese laundrymen who were aboard the scuttled German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee will embark for Italy today aboard the Italian steamship Oceania en route to China. The Oceana will also take 180 other Chinese, who refused to continue their voyages on German vessels when the war broke out.—United Press.

## Britain May Let Nazi Exports Reach U.S.

Washington, Jan. 5.

The British Government has assured the American Government that "in very exceptional circumstances," German exports will be allowed to reach their destination.—Reuter.

## Transfers of Sterling from Empire Banned

**Order-in-Council to Become Effective on Monday, January 8**

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Jan. 5.

Transfer of sterling or sterling securities from a resident of the United Kingdom to a non-resident, without the express permission of the Treasury, is prohibited by an Order-in-Council coming into force on January 8.

A non-resident is defined as a person, company or firm residing or carrying on business outside the British Empire (including protectorates and mandated territories), Egypt, Anglo-Egypt, Sudan and Iraq, except that residents of Canada, Newfoundland and Hongkong are regarded as non-residents.

Under special exemption order non-residents are free to dispose of any sterling on their accounts and any sterling securities they wish to sell in this market. They will also be allowed to have credited to their account any sterling representing proceeds from the sale or redemption of sterling securities in their beneficial ownership, interest or dividends on sterling securites registered or inscribed in their names or the names of their nominees, interest or dividends on sterling bearer securities collected for them by a bank having custody of the securities.

Permission to transfer sterling securities from a resident to a non-resident will normally be given if the full current market value has been paid for them in sterling.—Reuter.

## Reich, Italy, Hungary In Consultations

**Leaders May Discuss Menace Of Russian Expansion**

Rome, Jan. 5.

A triangular conference may be held between Count Galazzo Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, Count Stephen Csaky, Hungarian Foreign Minister, who is visiting Italy, and a German statesman, according to persistent rumours circulating in well-informed unofficial circles.

Field Marshal Herman Goering, Dr. Josef Goebbels, Propaganda Minister, and Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, Foreign Minister, are mentioned as possible German representatives at such a conference.

Rumours of a visit to Rome by Field Marshal Goering were current last night, but confirmation was not obtainable. It is said to be practically certain, however, that Count Ciano will go to Venice to meet Count Csaky.

Well-informed circles believe that if the triangular conference materializes, the problem of how to keep Russia on her own side of the Carpathians will stand in the forefront of discussions.—Reuter.

## German Sympathizers in South Africa Arrested

**Over 1,000 Persons Sent to Internment Camps**

Johannesburg, Jan. 5.

The New Year has brought an intensification of police action against German sympathisers in the Union of South Africa, and investigations into their activities are being extended to the most remote areas. Over 1,000 persons are now interned.

Recent arrests include many Union nationals holding responsible positions. Among them are Afrikaans at universities in Bloemfontein and Stellinbosch, a senior engineer of the State railways, and an Afrikaan announcer of the South African Broadcasting Corporation.—Reuter.

### South Africa Joins Blockade

Pretoria, Jan. 5.

The Union of South Africa is linked up with the United Kingdom in the blockade of German imports and exports, under two new proclamations published today in the "Official Gazette."

The first gives a list of German firms operating in neutral countries, and the second regulates the searching of merchantmen which left German ports after December 4, 1939.—Reuter.

## German Seamen on Japanese Steamer

Los Angeles, Jan. 5.

Forty German seamen, believed to be from the scuttled liner Columbus, were aboard a Japanese ship in the harbour today after a trip from New York. Under conditions of close secrecy they arrived in two special cars and embarked on the Asama-Maru, which is to sail tomorrow for Japan. Sworn to silence by their superior officers, the Germans where marched quickly from train to bus and thence aboard the ship. Officials who handled their passage denied knowing their identity.—United Press.

## Marshal Goering Tightens Control of German War Economy

**More War Taxes and Compulsory Savings Expected; Allies' Economic Pressure Being Keenly Felt**

Berlin, Jan. 5.

Field Marshal Hermann Goering, in his capacity of Special Commissioner for the Four-Year Plan, yesterday decreed further centralization of national economy in his hands to tighten production, the official Nazi news agency, D.N.B., reported last night.

Marshal Goering assumed unspecified new powers to "meet the British blockade with a superior chess move."

New war taxes, with compulsory savings of part of all incomes above a certain level, will be decreed soon to last the duration of the war, informed circles understood. It was believed that part of all incomes above 400 marks monthly would be required to be placed in regular or special savings accounts, which presumably would be invested by the banks in state obligations for financing the war. Such a "pay as you go" financial system would serve to avoid the issuance of the usual war loans, which the Nazis do not desire.—United Press.

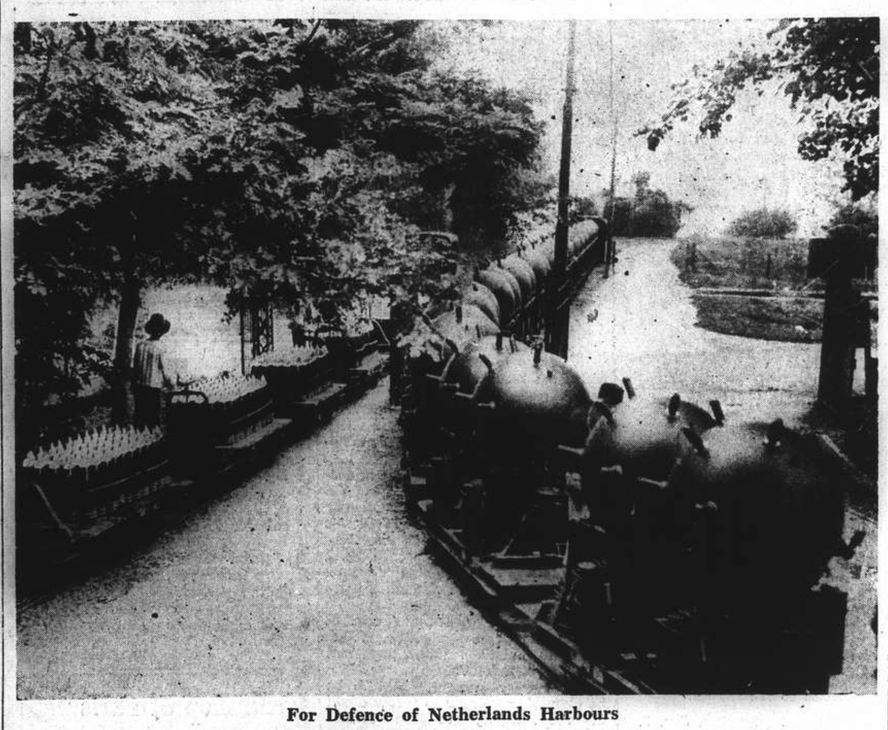
### Blockade Keenly Felt

Copenhagen, Jan. 5.

Effects of the Allies' economic warfare are now being felt in Germany, even among troops in the Siegfried Line, according to reports reaching here.

Many troops, the reports assert, are in want of new uniforms and other clothing, while even the richest Germans are said to be finding it hard to obtain new clothes, which are particularly needed now because of the unusually cold winter.

Generally speaking, however, there appears to be no serious food shortage, provided one has the money to pay for goods. The fare obtainable is reported to be of inferior quality and lacking in nourishment.—Reuter.



**For Defence of Netherlands Harbours**

*Holland continues to take precautions to protect her harbours and defend her boundaries in view of the uncertainty of Nazi intentions. Here is a tiny railway feeding a strategic point on the Netherlands coast with shells on one track on the left and mines on the track on the right.*

## Eire Expected to Begin Big Round-Up of Terrorists

**Emergency Powers Bill Signed; Sharp Criticism in Dail of Eireann Army; U.S. Aid for I.R.A. Alleged**

Dublin, Jan. 5.

MORE than twenty men were arrested yesterday in County Cork, it is reported here. The arrests are believed to be part of the general round-up of Republicans now being carried out by the Government.

The Emergency Powers Bill, giving the Government powers to suppress terrorism, passed by the Dail yesterday, was signed today by Dr. Hyde, the President of Eire. It is expected that there will be an immediate widespread search for leaders of illegal organizations causing trouble in Eire and elsewhere.

Outspoken criticisms of the army in Eire were made during the debate in the Dail yesterday when final stages of the emergency bill giving the Government powers to suppress terrorism were passed by 62 votes to seven, the Opposition supporting the Government. Professor Michael Tierney said he was not surprised at the raid on the magazine at Phoenix Park. It was patent to anyone familiar with what was going on in the army that things were bad. Discipline was undermined and there were irregularities which would never be permitted in any ordinary army.

He urged the formation of a national government, stating that unless the two principal parties in Eire came to some agreement, they would soon find the country had no use for them or for parliamentary institutions.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Eamon de Valera, said carelessness in routine was responsible for the success of the raid on the magazine fort at Phoenix Park. It would be a serious thing if the powers they were seeking were unconstitutional. If such were the case it would be necessary to change the constitution.

General Richard Mulcahy urged co-operation between the governments of Eire, Great Britain and Ulster, so that Eireann citizens would not be allowed to damage property or endanger lives in North Ireland of Great Britain, or endanger political relations between Eire and Britain.

### Dictatorial Powers

As a result of the new law, Mr. Eamon de Valera, the Prime Minister of Eire, is now in possession of powers making him virtually a dictator.

The Government has the right, under the bill, to intern citizens suspected of activities against the State without arraigning them before a court of law.

The Senate is now considering the Offences Against the State Amendment Bill, which was carried through the final stages in the Dail last night. This measure put into permanent form the object aimed at in the Emergency Powers Bill.

### New Special Powers Bill

The Dail also considered another bill, which seeks to put into permanent form the legislation authorizing the detention of persons suspected of activities against the state.

It is necessary for the Government to introduce this bill in order to repeal the second part of the Offences Against the State Act, which Mr. Justice Duffy recently pronounced unconstitutional.

Mr. Frank Aiken, Minister for Defence said: "When small nations are falling like ninepins all over the world, if this small nation is to survive it must have discipline, and the Government must have the support of all good citizens in suppressing revolutionary activities."—Reuter.

### U.S. Aid to I.R.A. Alleged

Dublin, Jan. 5.

Thousands of dollars have been found in the possession of the outlawed Irish Republican Army, some of which came from sources in the United States, the Justice Minister, Mr. Gerald Boland, revealed in the Dail yesterday.

During the debate on the internment bill, Mr. James M. Dillon, the Deputy Opposition leader, said it is common knowledge that money subscribed from the United States is not coming from the traditional Irish organizations there. He asked Mr. Boland whether the Government had made any inquiries regarding the American resources of the I.R.A.

Mr. Boland replied that it was "a good idea," but, pending proof, the Government would be unable to name the suspected sources.

Mr. Boland was summoned from the House to read reports of the shooting affray at Cork recently in which a detective and officers were shot by members of the I.R.A.—United Press.

## Allied Aircraft Go All Over Reich

**Big German Industrial Centres Proved to Be Vulnerable to Attacks**

Paris, Jan. 5.

Several flights of Allied planes flew 250 miles into Germany yesterday over highly industrialized regions of the Rhineland, Palatinate, Westphalia, Hess and Bavaria, illustrating the contention that German industrial positions are vulnerable, according to dispatches from the West Front reaching here last night.

On the West Front, a communique reported, the day was "without important incidents. There were several clashes of patrols in the region west of the Saar," it said. The communique reported increased aerial and infantry action during the day.

Allied infantry units in several sectors attacked a series of German outposts, driving two miles into the German lines, according to dispatches. They did not attempt any serious attacks near the Siegfried Line.—Press.

### R.A.F. Reconnaissance

London, Jan. 5.

The Ministry of Air announced last night that the Royal Air Force made successful reconnaissance flights over north-west Germany and patrols over seaplane bases in the Heligoland Bight. All machines returned.

The Aberdeen trawler Daneden is ten days overdue and feared lost. The Daneden left Aberdeen on December 11 and was last seen on the fishing grounds in the same vicinity as the trawler Star of Scotland on the day that vessel was bombed by Nazi planes. The Daneden carries a crew of nine.—Reuter.

### Scapa Flow Entry Blocked

New York, Jan. 5.

The British naval base at Scapa Flow is blocked by sunken merchantmen to keep enemy submarines out, according to two Australian engineers who arrived here today. They said at least 20 obsolete vessels, each about 10,000 tons, were sunk in Scapa Flow and environs since the British battleship Royal Oak was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in October. "We put our own ship against one of the islands, debarked and dynamited her so now she is settled on the bottom," they said.—United Press.

## Five Graf Spee Men Try to Escape

**Launch Breaks Down Just Outside Montevideo Port**

Montevideo, Jan. 4.

Five members of the crew of the Admiral Graf Spee, the German pocket-battleship scuttled here after an engagement with British cruisers, made a daring attempt to escape from internment yesterday. They secured a motor-launch and managed to get out of harbour, heading for Buenos Aires. Unfortunately for them, engine trouble developed and they were overtaken and brought back.—Reuter.

### Achilles Leaves Buenos Aires

Buenos Aires, Jan. 5.

The British cruiser H.M.S. Achilles, one of the three British warships involved in the dramatic sea battle with the German pocket-battleship, Admiral Graf Spee, left Buenos Aires at 5.30 a.m. today.—United Press.

## Maritime Insurance Rates Cut in U.S.

New York Jan. 5.

Maritime insurance rates on cargoes destined to or coming from the United States have been reduced for the second time this week, in some cases as much as two per cent. The reason given for the reduction was "the greater safety in maritime transport."—Havas.

## *Japanese Shot by American Sentry*

Peiping, Jan. 5.

A Japanese soldier was shot and slightly wounded by a United States Marine sentry in the American Embassy Guard compound last evening. The wounded man's condition is not serious, and the incident is expected to be settled amicably. A joint release on the incident issued today by the Japanese and American authorities states:

"On the evening of January 4, a Japanese soldier in the American Embassy Guard compound was shot and wounded by a Marine sentry. The bullet caused a flesh wound, which was treated immediately at the hospital of the Guard compound. The man's condition is not serious. The affair is now under investigation by the American and Japanese authorities, and is expected to be settled amicably."—Reuter.

## Chinese Bonds Up On Peace Rumours

**London Hears Efforts are Being Seriously Made to End Conflict**

London, Jan. 5.

Hopes that serious efforts may shortly be made towards securing some settlement of the Sino-Japanese war were responsible for a sharp upward movement by Chinese bonds yesterday.

It is realised that the potential recovery capacity in China in such an event must be large, especially as the latest returns of Customs revenues, issued by the Chinese Embassy, indicate a relatively small real decline in China's receipts for 1939 compared with last year.

Many financial quarters who were prepared for a much greater decline are now wondering whether, if China can secure such large Customs revenue with so many of her legitimate trade outlets closed, she might not provide a spectacular commercial recovery were normal trading conditions restored.—Reuter.

### Japanese Army Agreed

Tokyo, Jan. 5.

High ranking Japanese army officers, headed by the War Minister, General Shunroku Hata, today reached an "agreement of views" following lengthy discussion over the reported agreement between Mr. Wang Ching-wei and the Japanese officials in China on the policies of the projected new Central Government in China under Mr. Wang's leadership, the War Office announced.

The decision reached at today's meeting, which lasted all morning and part of the afternoon, will be referred shortly to the China Affairs Board for final approval, the War Office said in the official statement.

The statement, however, failed to reveal any details of the agreement of views reached by the Army leaders.

Today's conference discussed the reports brought here personally by high representatives of Japanese authorities in China on the progress of plans for the establishment of the Wang Ching-wei regime.—United Press.

## U.S. Defence Budget Reaches Peace-Time High Record

**Civil Expenditures Pruned, New Taxes Envisaged; National Debt at $44,938,000,000; Income Rising**

Washington, Jan. 5.

PRESIDENT Roosevelt's defence requests surpass all peace time armament budgets, authoritative sources said last night. The President's requests include the simultaneous construction of ten battleships and 106 other warships. Semi-defence items make a total of $2,336,137,000, or one-quarter of the entire budget.

Mr. Roosevelt asked for an increase in Naval aircraft, to 3,000 planes and Army aircraft to 6,550, totalling 9,550 aircraft by the end of the fiscal year. He also asked for an increase of the nation's armed forces to 227,000 National Guards, 160,909 Navy men, and 25,000 Marines, totalling 647,911 men.

President Roosevelt's proposed budget for 1941 which was presented to the Senate yesterday would cut "pork barrel" spending, cut relief costs, and initiate new emergency national defence taxes to raise $460,000,000 for his defence programme.

The President opposed taxes which would curtail consumer purchasing power and thereby directed speculation toward the possibility of increases in income, estate and inheritance taxes.

The 1941 budget totals $8,422,000,000—a reduction of $65,000,000 under the current year's estimated expenditures.

The President forecast a Treasury revenue of $6,150,000,000—third highest on record—and budgeted for the Government's eleventh consecutive deficit. The President's message reported the highest production and consumption levels in history, but said that agriculture is still not getting its proper share of the national income.

### Borrowing Extension Avoided

The President did not specify the sources for new revenue, but said, "I hope Congress will follow the accepted principle of good taxation, of taxing according to the ability to pay, and will avoid taxes which decrease consumer buying power."

The President budgeted for a net deficit of $2,176,000,000, but avoided an election year recommendation that the Treasury's $45,000,000,000 borrowing limit be increased to finance deficit spending.

Mr. Roosevelt estimated that the national debt by June 30, 1941—the end of the fiscal year for which the budget is drawn—will aggregate $44,938,000,000.

The budget indicated that the Philippines would continue to occupy the same role in United States national defence in 1940 as in 1939. It did not show a specific military budget increase in either the Army or Navy, but informed military sources said they believed the Philippines department would share in the general, broad increases in enlistments, aeronautical and other supplies, and also in the tremendously increased naval estimates.

The budget did not show specific allotments for the Far Eastern Fleet division or other regional activities.

The budget alloted $2,672,000 for the Insular Department's sea coast defences, as against $1,017,000 allowed during the current year.

### Budget to Meet Obstacles

President Roosevelt's new budget with its accompanying recommendation for new defence taxes will face opposition in Congress, it was indicated today.

The Senate Finance Committee Chairman, Senator Pat Harrison, Democrat of Mississippi, proposed the appointment of a special joint committee, to inlcude the chairmen of four Congressional fiscal committees, to examine and report on the advisability of the President's budget and recommendations.

Senator Harrison told the press "it is not an easy job to raise $460,000,000 right off the bat. I am not strong for this taxation business."

The President's tax proposal produced marked coolness in the House Ways and Means Committee. Members of the Committee, in private conversations, left the distinct impression that they would not exert themselves to creat new taxes. It was also indicated that if the Treasury Department makes any concrete recommendations on the Presidential levies, Congress would carefully and properly consider the tax plan. If the Treasury recommendations are not made, however, it appeared that the Congressional attitude would favour the reduction of other expenditures to make up the needed $460,000,000.—United Press.

### National Income Increased

Washington, Jan. 4.

Programmes other than national defence, it is estimated, will swallow $1,300,000,000 on relief work, $900,000,000 for agriculture, $1,100,000,000 for public works and investments, $1,200,000,000 on pensions, $1,100,000,000 interest on public debt, $1,000,000,000 on the operation of government departments.

The President declared the credit of the Federal Government had never been higher.

Reviewing his fiscal policy, Mr. Roosevelt pointed out that the deliberate use of Government funds to energize private enterprise profoundly

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## Paris Hails Speech To Congress

**Nazis Resent American President's Address as Being "Anti-German"**

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Paris, Jan. 5.

That the Allied cause will obtain a moral victory before a material one is the theme of press reaction here to President Roosevelt's speech at the opening of the U. S. Congress yesterday. It is now felt the meaning of the President's message to the Pope is better understood. There had been some apprehension lest the President should be advocating peace on a basis of maintaining the *status quo*, but now it is regarded as clear from the speech that he contemplates a democratic peace. It is felt Mr. Roosevelt would not be favourable to a peace offensive which would leave Germany in possession of her ill-gotten gains.

It is generally reported here that a new move is being plotted by Germany. Speculation varies from the forecast of "Le Petit Parisien" that there will be a new "peace offensive" with a change of window dressing, to suggestions of a military offensive against Holland and Belgium.—Reuter.

### Nazis Resent Congress Speech

Amsterdam, Jan. 5.

President Roosevelt's speech at the opening of the U. S. Congress is regarded in German political circles as being from beginning to end an attack on Germany, according to the Berlin correspondent of the "Telgraaf." These circles, the correspondent states, consider President Roosevelt has weakened America's attitude to neutrality.

This opinion is said to have been further strengthened by the report that the U. S. Navy Secretary, Mr. Charles Edison, proposed placing certain industries under direct control of the state. It is recalled the American authorities obtained the same powers in 1917, just before America entered the war.

Although it is realized that it would be too much to claim this step is an indication of American intention to take part in the European war, the correspondent adds, there is less confidence in the continuance of America's neutrality in all circumstances.—Reuter.

### Wilhelmstrasse Angered

Amsterdam, Jan. 4.

"President Roosevelt's speech to Congress yesterday was the most violently anti-German speech he has ever made, even though he did not mention the Reich as such." Wilhelmstrasse quarters in Berlin told neutral observers today.

Dutch newspapermen reported, however, that even while the Wilhelmstrasse gave this candid opinion of the American President's speech, German propaganda machinery was put in motion today to turn the words of criticism into words of commendation for consumption by the German people.—Havas.

## More Shocks Felt in Turkish 'Quake Zone

**Convicts May Get Amnest, For Fine Rescue Work**

Istanbul, Jan. 5..

While foreign gifts for the relief of sufferers from the recent earth quakes continue to pour in—the latest being a gift of £2,000 from the King of Afghanistan—further seismic shocks are still reported in the Black Sea areas of Samsun and Krasund, and also in Masia.

Ankara messages say the river Tigres has overflowed its banks, and that an entire quarter of the large town of Diabekir, in south-east Anatolia, is under water. Thirty workmen engaged in railway construction are reported to be marooned by floods, and their situation is critical.

Many deeds of heroism are reported in earthquake rescue work. The Government particularly recommends the granting of an amnesty to 50 long-term convicts for their bravery in rescuing over 1,000 people, including many women and children. During the earthquake which destroyed Erzindjan, those convicts, without attempting to escape, immediately organized rescue squads, and later they gave shelter to the people they rescued in their barracks, which miraculously escaped damage.—Reuter.

## Lord Lothian Predicts Vast Nazi Offensive Early This Spring

**British Ambassador to United States Declares Britain Remains Undismayed; Sea Power Vital**

Chicago, Jan. 5.

Lord Lothian, British Ambassador in Washington, today predicted that Germany would launch a "terrific attack by land, sea and air, using every weapon in her armory," early in spring in an attempt to defeat the Allies.

In an address before the Council for Foreign Relations here, he said that sea power is "the real key to victory."

"If Germany can defeat England, either by direct attack on her naval communications, or in a drive through Belgium or the Maginot Line, and compel us to surrender our fleet or a large part of it, or naval bases from which fleets may travel througout the world, then Germany will be top of the world...," the Ambassador said.

"If the German thrust for sea power fails, it is only a question of time before the relentless pressure will block her capacity to carry on the war effectively."

Germany cannot wait beyond spring to attack, Lord Lothian said.

"It is a decision which may give them the supreme prize—World Empire," he declared. "That chance may never come again.... When the attack comes it will be with all the ferocity and ruthlessness the Nazis have taught us to expect."

Britain is not dismayed, because she is morally and physically prepared, he said, with the neutral nations mostly hoping for an Allied victory.—United Press.

### "New York Times" Comment

New York, Jan. 5.

No British Ambassador ever spoke more frankly to an American audience than Lord Lothian did in Chicago, says the "New York Times" today. His speech, the newspaper asserts, represents a striking democratization and humanization of British policy, and it harmonizes with the policy enunciated by President Roosevelt on Wednesday. Lord Lothian, like President Roosevelt, adds the "New York Times," saw no hope for a lasting settlement without American participation in the peace.—Reuter.

## Chinese Rights Upheld In Hongkong Court

**Japanese Lose Appeal in Shipping Company Case**

Hongkong, Jan. 5.

The appeal against the winding up of the Ching Kee Steamship Company was dimissed by the Supreme Court today. The appeal was made by shareholders, most of whom are Japanese.

The appeal was dismissed on the grounds that Chinese courts retain their jurisdiction despite the occupation of territory by the Japanese.

If the application met with success, it would mean that the six vessels of the company tied up at Hongkong for the past two years would be allowed to proceed to sea under a Chinese flag but with Japanese crews which "is illegal under Chinese law and was not contemplated by the original Chinese corporation," the court said in dismissing the appeal.—United Press.

## *"Union" for Servants In Foreign Homes?*

Chinese servants employed in foreign homes are to be unionized! At least such is the hope of the sponsors of a new movement in the Eastern district, where preparations are now being made to organize "boys" and amahs and coolies working for foreigners.

The object, so the organizers say, is to obtain "better treatment" for those who become members, but it is not stated in the handbills which have appeared exactly how this is to be done.

Observers are not too optimistic about the whole business, as they see in the scheme an attempt to extend a movement which has already caused considerable grief in foreign industrial establishments north of the Soochow Creek.

The office of the new "union" is reported to be in Rangoon Road.

## New U.S. Supreme Court Judge

### Mr. Murphy, Attorney General, Becomes Fifth Nominee by President

Washington, Jan. 5.

Mr. Frank Murphy, Attorney General and former United States High Commissioner to the Philippines, was nominated by President Roosevelt to succeed the late Associate Justice of the Supreme Court Pierce Butler.

By his action Mr. Roosevelt became the first President since President Taft to have named five justices to the Supreme Court. It was anticipated that the Senate would confirm the nomination without opposition.

Mr. Murphy's elevation to the Supreme Court is the only judicial nomination on a list of several hundred appointments by the President which must be confirmed by the Senate. These include the appointment of Mr. Robert H. Jackson, Solicitor General, to succeed Mr. Murphy as Attorney General, Mr. Charles Edison as Secretary of the Navy, and Circuit Judge Francis J. Biddle to replace Mr. Jackson as Solicitor General.

The appointments sent to the Senate also included that of Mr. Ernest H. Gruening as Governor of Alaska and Mr. James W. Young of New Mexico, as Director of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

**Democrats Approve Choice**

Most Democrats in the Senate praised the appointment of Mr. Murphy to the Supreme Court, which was referred immediately to the Senate Judiciary subcommittee. Senator Prentiss Brown, Michigan Democrat, said Mr. Murphy would "make a splendid judge."

Senator Henry F. Ashurst, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, said that Mr. Murphy would "live up to the highest traditions of the court."

Mr. Clare Hoffman, Republican Representative from Michigan, said, "In view of the appointment of such a man.....we should make the law so plain that there will be no opportunity of misrepresentation." Mr. Frank Murphy told the press today that he feels "unworthy" of his appointment to the Supreme Court bench. Mr. Murphy said he wishes to remain in the Department of Justice about one month longer to finish his work. "I feel sad to leave this work," he said, "but I will be glad to take up other work." He promised reporters there would be "interesting developments" soon in connection with the department's anti-espionage drive.

**Diplomatic Appointments**

President Roosevelt yesterday named Mr. James H. R. Cromwell, husband of the former Miss Doris Duke, Minister to Canada to succeed Mr. Samuel Roper, former Secretary of Commerce.

The President appointed the present Minister to the Irish Free State, Mr. John Cudahy, Ambassador to Belgium and Minister to Luxembourg, succeeding Mr. Joseph Davis.

Mr. Breckenridge Long was appointed Assistant Secretary of State to succeed Mr. George Messersmith, whom the President nominated Ambassador to Cuba.

Mr. Roosevelt nominated Mr. R. Henry Norweb, veteran Far Eastern, European, and South American diplomat, Ambassador to Peru and named Mr. Robert Scotten, of Michigan, to succeed him as Minister of the Dominican Republic.

Rear Admiral Samuel Robinson was nominated Chief of the Naval Bureau of Engineering and Naval Constructor Alexander Van Keuren, Chief of Bureau Construction and Repair with the rank of Rear Admiral.—United Press.

## Swedish Communists Attacked

### Soviet Spying Organization Alleged to Be Active

Stockholm, Jan. 4.

Violent denunciation of Swedish Communists for pursuing active Soviet propaganda spreading in northern Sweden even today was voiced this evening by M. Andreas Winblom, President of the Finnish Committee in Sweden.

His accusations were more than confirmed by a high police official, who asserted the whole Communist party in the northern regions of Sweden forms nothing but a huge Soviet spying organization. The Reds, he said, keep Moscow informed of goods being sent to Finland.—Havas.

## Last Instalment on C.E.R. Paid

Moscow, Jan. 5.

The Japanese Industrial Bank in Tokyo today handed M. Constantin Smetanin, Soviet Ambassador to Japan, a cheque for 5,809,565 yen, the final instalment due on the purchase of the Chinese Eastern Railway by Manchoukuo, in accordance with the December 31 agreement between Russia and Japan, the official Tass news agency announced.—United Press.

## Embargo Motion Held Back

### Sen. Pittman Awaits More Action from Japan Before Urging Drastic Action

Washington, Jan. 5.

Senator Key Pittman, Chairman of the powerful Foreign Relations Committee, told the United Press today that he does not contemplate action by his Committee on an embargo against Japan until after the 1911 Japanese-American trade treaty expires on January 26.

The Foreign Relations Committee, the Democratic Senator from Nevada said, probably will meet next Wednesday. The Committee, he said, would devote its time to domestic matters, however.

Personally, he said, he favoured the enactment of a mandatory embargo on United States exports to Japan, but as such a measure would not be likely to obtain the approval of Congress at the present time, he would follow his resolution which had been already introduced.

Senator Pittman in the last session of Congress proposed an act that would empower the President to place an embargo on exports to Japan.

Senator Pittman's comments tended to confirm the impression among impartial quarters that the State Department intends to give Japan until January 26 every opportunity to improve her relations with the United States. Senator Pittman, as well as the impartial groups, however, feel that so far Japan has in no way sufficiently rectified the injustices suffered by United States citizens and interests in China.

**Insistence on Treaty Rights**

Observers here commented that the United States had proceeded slowly throughout the entire controversy with Japan. Nevertheless, they emphasized, United States insistence for the observation by Japan of American treaty rights in China has persisted unwaveringly and is steadily increasing in emphasis.

Senator Pittman's remarks created the impression that if Japan has not made satisfactory proposals before January 26, the State Department would feel free to encourage Congressional action for the passage of some resolution empowering economic pressure against Japan.

The State Department and Senator Pittman both apparently feel that by waiting until January 26 they will not only be fairer to Japan but will also have a better case before Congress, to whom they can represent the need for an embargo resolution on the grounds that all negotiations with Japan had failed.—United Press.

## Gaimusho Head to See U.S. Ambassador

### Japanese-American Talks Expected to Resume

Tokyo, Jan. 5.

Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura, Japanese Foreign Minister, and Mr. Joseph Clark Grew, American Ambassador, were expected to resume their conferences within a short time, the "Kokumin Shimbun" said today.

Admiral Nomura, the paper predicted, would probably request the American Government during the interview to readjust its attitude towards Japan.

The American attitude, the paper observed, was apparently going from bad to worse despite Japan's announcement that the Yangtze River would be partially reopened in the near future.

The paper expressed the fear that such an attitude by the United States might lead to the worst possible situation in American-Japanese relations in view of reports that opinion favouring economic pressure against Japan was gaining strength.—Domei.

## Five Dutch Officials Dismissed

### Extremist Connections Noted After Espionage Inquiry

Amsterdam, Jan. 5.

Five Dutch officials of the Municipal administration in Amsterdam have been dismissed because of suspected connections with the extremist circles of the leftist or rightist groups.

The dismissals followed the discovery of German spy activities in the Netherlands, after which a thorough inquiry regarding political loyalties of state officials was undertaken.—Havas.

## Clipper Movements

Manila, Jan. 5.

The departure of the California Clipper was advanced to Sunday. Air mail closes January 6 at 7 p.m. The California Clipper is to arrive at San Francisco January 12, Manila Time. The Philippines Clipper was forced to return to San Francisco after bucking 52-miles-per-hour headwinds and is now expected to arrive in Manila on January 11 and in Hongkong on January 12. The Honolulu Clipper is to arrive in Manila on January 15.—United Press.

## Forty Postmen Strike As Two are Dismissed

A minor strike of "sit-down" character took place in the Central Post Office, North Soochow Road, yesterday morning when about forty postal delivery men, composing a section, refused to work. The reason for the strike was said to be the recent dismissal of two men in the section concerned. There were no disturbances.

## Indian Gaol Riot Echo

Bombay, Jan. 5.

Twelve persons were sentenced to death today in connection with the riots at Ramdurg last April, when a mob, sacking the states goal, battered eight policemen to death. Two persons were sentenced to imprisonment for life, while 40 others received various terms of imprisonment.—Reuter.

## *U.S. to Build Major Air Base in Alaska*

Washington, Jan. 5.

United States army officials state today that the construction of a major air base near the anchorage of Alaska will be started immediately. The Navy Department announces it is spending $1,750,000 on defence facilities on Midway Island and $2,000,000 for the development of aviation facilities on Wake Island.—Reuter.

**Navy Buys Drydock**

Washington, Jan. 5.

Mr. Frank R. Havenner, Democratic Representative of California, said today the Navy has signed a contract with the Bethlehem Steel Corporation to purchase the Hunters Point drydock in San Francisco Bay for U.S.$3,993,572. — United Press.

## British Civil Servants Want Wage Increase

### Chancellor Tells Deputation Of Inflation Dangers

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Jan. 5.

Automatic raising of wages to meet the rise in the cost of living would involve grave danger of inflation, Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, last night told a deputation of representatives from the Civil Service.

The deputation drew attention to the number of wage and salary increases by industrial concerns to meet the increased cost of living and urged the establishment of a committee to elaborate a scheme for compensation to the Civil Service.

The Chancellor reaffirmed the Government's policy of reviewing Civil Service pay in the light of substantial changes in the level of remuneration elsewhere, but referred to the enormous financial strain in consequence of the war and to the grave danger of inflation if wages were automatically adjusted to prices. While it would be difficult to keep Civil Service wages at the present level if prices continued to rise, the Government was doing everything in its power to prevent unnecessary rises in the cost of living.—Reuter.

## U.S. Warns Britain Against Losses

### Responsibility for Diverting American Shipping

London, Jan. 5.

Washington has warned the British Government that the United States would hold Britain responsible for any loss or damage suffered by American ships, including their cargoes, when such vessels are forced by British warcraft to divert their course from non-combat to combat areas as designated in the U.S. neutrality act, authoritative quarters said today.

Britain, it was learned, has not yet replied to this American Note.—United Press.

## *THE CINEMA*

### "Rio"

Paul Reynard .....Basil Rathbone
Dirk .....Victor McLaglen
Irene Reynard .....Sigrid Gurie
Bill Gregory .....Robert Cummings
Roberto .....Leo Carrillo
Manuelo .....Billy Gilbert
"Mumby" .....Irving Bacon
Old Convict .....Maurice Moscovich
Lamartine .....Samuel S. Hinds
Rocco .....Irving Pichel
Maria .....Ferike Boros

Superacting and an entirely new script make of "Rio", which opened at the Nanking Theatre yesterday, an absolute "must" picture. Mr. Basil Rathbone as the unscrupulous financier, Mr. Victor McLaglen as Dirk his faithful bodyguard and femme-a-tout-faire, and Miss Sigrid Gurie as Mr. Rathbone's wife, acquit themselves of their unusually difficult tasks in an expert manner. Smoothly the story unfolds. Slowly but not too slowly, it develops and the final, absolutely unexpected denouement makes of this production something that should not be missed. Admitted, that Mr. Rathbone was inclined to overact somewhat at the beginning of the picture, admitted that prisoners in a French penal colony do not usually speak with an American accent and certainly do not smoke cigarettes made of American tobacco, the film was nevertheless of an outstanding quality particularly, in the opinion of the reviewer, because the plot is so completely new that it was almost impossible to foresee what was about to happen. The love scenes at the beginning of the picture, the escape from the penal colony through the jungle and the final climax, left nothing to be desired. Mr. Leo Carrillo and Mr. Billy Gilbert acquitted themselves of their small parts in the usual manner and if any criticism is to be made at all, it seems a pity that Mr. Rathbone is allowed to walk away with the entire show while the other actors, no less well known for their excellent work in the past, have somewhat unimportant parts.

A cartoon and two other shorts precede the main feature. They, too, are excellent and thus round out a good programme.—A.S.I.


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## Nazi Propaganda Over Athenia Refuted

### Press Reports Misrepresented As Commission's Verdict

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Jan. 4.

Vigorous attempts, it is stated here, are being made by the German propaganda machine to confuse opinion by anticipating the findings of the commission now sitting in Washington, enquiring into the Athenia incident.

By misleading excerpts from the United States' press, statements which purport to represent intelligent forecasts of the commission's report and which are made to appear favourable to the well-known German thesis, are given publicity in the obvious hope they will be taken as the actual and final conclusions of the commission. The implications of much of German propaganda on this question, it is pointed out, is that the commission's verdict has already been published. An example of this propaganda is a passage in the "Berliner Boersen-Zeitung," cited by a German news agency today: "Nothing throws more light on England's position in the Athenia case than the fact that, faced with the results of the American investigation, it is unable to find the smallest argument in its own favour."

In a similar vein is said to be the clumsy endeavour to throw doubt on the integrity of the Reuter Agency: "Significant is the attempt of Reuter to weaken the Washington verdict"—a sentence which again implies that the report has been issued.

Official quarters in London content themselves with observing that impartiality in the investigation in Washington will remain unaffected by German misrepresentation. The public elsewhere than in Germany where truth is subject to restrictions, they add, will be wise to await the actual and final conclusions of the commission.—Reuter.

## *OBITUARY*

**Count Bentinck**

Amsterdam, Jan. 5.

Count Bentinck, who was the first to give shelter to the Kaiser when he came to Holland, died at his castle at Amerongen today. He was 85 years of age.—Reuter.

**Mrs. S. H. Harris**

Mrs. Sarah Hall Harris, 73, mother of Mr. M. J. Harris, chief of the Bureau of the Associated Press of America at Shanghai, died on New Year's Day at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cowgill Blair at Joplin, Missouri, where Mrs. Harris had gone to spend the Christmas holidays.

According to cables received by Mr. and Mrs. Harris here burial services were held at the family burial ground near Columbia, Boone County, Mo.

Aside from her son here, and daughter in Joplin, Mo., Mrs. Harris is survived by another son, J. S. Harris of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Harris will be remembered by many residents of Shanghai as she visited here in 1929.

**Humbert Wolfe**

London, Jan. 5.

The English poet, Mr. Humbert Wolfe, died today at the age of 54. He was Deputy Secretary of the Ministry of Labour. His poetic works included: "The Unknown Goddess," "Lampoons"; "Humoresque"; "News of the Devil"; "Requiem"; "Sonnets for Helen."—Reuter.

## Block of Chinese Houses in Flames

At 10.30 p.m. yesterday, engines from Hongkew fire station were summoned to an address at Tsepoo Road, East of the barbed-wire barricades and inside the Japanese sector, where a block of Chinese houses was found to be on flames. The fire, it was believed, originated in a photographic printing concern and spread rapidly. While the flames were under control by 11.06 p.m., fire engines were still at the scene at an early hour this morning. The damage caused by the flames and water was believed to be considerable and up to the time of going to press no casualties were reported.

## Ten Killed in Japanese Railway Smash

### Freight Train Engineer Blamed for Accident

Tokyo, Jan. 5.

Ten persons were killed and more than 60 injured yesterday afternoon when a freight train and a passenger train carrying returning new year holiday makers collided head-on at Tokorozawa near the border of Tokyo and Saitama Prefectures.

The electric engine of the freight train struck the passenger train with such force that a section of the latter was up-ended and two cars filled with the new year celebrants were crushed.

The accident occurred on a steep hill at a sharp curve where the engineers had a very narrow field of vision.

According to the findings of authorities who investigated the wreck, it was caused by the carelessness of the freight train engineer. The latter is alleged to have taken his train out on a single track from the Tokorozawa station without waiting for the passenger train to clear the station.

The trains were operated by the Musashin Electric Railway Company.—Domei.

## Archbishop of Paris Appeals to People

### Patriots Urged to Purchase French War Bonds

Paris, Jan. 4.

An appeal to the French people to buy the War Bonds which the Government is placing on the market was made today by the Archbishop of Paris, Cardinal Verdier, in a radio address at 7.45 p.m.

"Let us be strong" he said. "Material strength placed at the service of Right is a great thing. When the country asks you to increase her strength to save the liberty of the world and with it the civilization and independence of three friendly nations unjustly oppressed, the duty of all of us is to answer this appeal. In doing so we remain true friends of peace. In the face of insatiable enemies, weakness is infinitely more dangerous than strength. Friends of peace, help France to increase her armaments to become stronger and curb criminal ambitions," the Archbishop of Paris concluded his appeal.—Havas.

## Judgment on Oil Claims in Mexico

Mexico City, Jan. 5.

The Judge of the First Court declared today that foreign oil companies whose properties are expropriated are now without further legal remedy due to their refusal to appoint experts to collaborate in the official valuation of the properties. President Cardenas will now have to name Mexican accountants to act for the foreign interests to discuss the payments claimed by the companies.—Reuter.

## Three Chinese Injured In Minor Explosion

When a brass vessel exploded in a charcoal stove yesterday at a Chinese house at Brenan and Edinburgh Roads, three Chinese men were injured by fragments. They were taken to hospital in a Fire Brigade ambulance. It is not believed that their injuries will prove serious.


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## U.S. Defence Budget Reaches Peace-Time High Record

(Continued from page 7)

affected both the Government and private incomes. National income over four years had risen 69 per cent.—the biggest rise over any similar period in history.

Relief expenditure, said Mr. Roosevelt, would be closely geared to actual needs, but if present hopes were disappointed, revised estimates might be submitted later in the session.

Replying to criticism of the public debt, the President pointed out there were durable tangible assets constructed or purchased by the Government, though these had never yet been listed.

One of the largest Army construction items was $1,264,000 for barracks at Hawaii.

**Increased Naval Budget**

Later President Roosevelt sent Congress the regular Navy budget of $904,500,000, which is an increase over last year of $183,000,000. Mr. Roosevelt explained that with certain emergency works and other extras, the grand total would be $1,224,000,000. Much of the increase, he said, would be devoted to warship construction.

Besides scheduling for continuation of work on 120 ships, the President asked for funds to construct two battleships, an aircraft carrier, two cruisers, eight destroyers, six submarines, one submarine tender, three seaplane tenders and a minesweeper.

The battleships will be the ninth and tenth constructed in five years. The size is not specified, but the navy is preparing craft of 65,000 tons.

The budget provides for 145,000 men for the navy and 25,000 for the marines.

The army budget recommends expenditure of $1,007,000,000 for land and air forces.—Reuter.

## Many Chinese Slain Near Hangchow

Hangchow, Jan. 5.

Japanese troops killed at least 11,567 Chinese officers and men in year's fighting in the hilly regions between Shanghai and Hangchow, Japanese military sources here asserted today. This figure, they said, was based on the number of dead found abandoned after engagements in this area during 1939. Chinese prisoners taken numbered 1,130, they added.—Domei.

## Overdose of Opium Lands Man in Hospital

A French Concession ambulance was summoned to Sikawei village at 8.30 p.m. yesterday to convey an elderly Chinese of the beggar class to hospital after he had taken an overdose of opium. His condition was stated to be serious.


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## British Policy for Requisitioning Ships

### Control of All Liners Due After February

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London, Jan. 5.

Sir John Gilmour, Minister of Shipping, announced last night that the policy of requisitioning shipping would be extended from February 1 to include all vessels on United Kingdom and Colonial registers engaged in deep sea liner trades. Companies will continue to operate ships subject only to compliance with instructions regarding cargo and routes. The scheme is stated to be similar to that enforced during the last war.

The Government, Sir John Gilmour announced, is satisfied that the regular execution of a shipping programme will be most effectively secured by bringing shipping under full control, thus securing the material economies most effective for the use of tonnage.—Reuter.

## Ration Cards to Be Issued in Italy

Rome, Jan. 5.

Ration cards will be distributed throughout Italy by January 15, it was officially announced today.—United Press.

## German Planes Again Fly Over Belgium

Brussels, Jan. 4.

German planes today flew over Belgian territory at several places, the War Ministry announced this evening.—Havas.

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## FROM DAY TO DAY

A MEETING of the Shanghai Municipal Council has been convened for Wednesday, January 10, at 4.30 p.m.

COL. De Witt Peck, Commander, U.S. Marine Corps, paid an official call on the Chairman of the Municipal Council at 11.15 a.m. yesterday.

THE Rev. C. W. Allan will conduct the morning service at Union Church tomorrow at 10.45. This will be followed by the first Communion Service of the year.

THE weekly report of refugee work for January 4 follows:— No. of Camps under inspection by Public Health Department 28; No. of refugees therein 33,249.

THE oldest German Jewish refugee living in Shanghai, Mrs. Julie Lazarus, née Stern, residing at 401 Dent Road, is celebrating her 90th birthday on January 15.

CONSCIENCE money: The Commissioner of Customs begs to acknowledge the receipt of one hundred and thirty dollars ($130.00) forwarded anonymously by 'a Shanghai Christian.'

A MASS will be said at St. Joseph's Convent for the Honorary Members of the Society of the Helpers of the Holy Souls, on Monday, January 8, at 8 a.m. Members and their friends are cordially invited.

THE Rev. Dr. Elmer A. Leslie, professor of Testament Literature at Boston University, who is passing through Shanghai after an extended visit to the interior, will preach at the Community Church tomorrow morning.

REV. T. C. Wu, general secretary of the Chinese Mission to Lepers, will broadcast today at 7 to 7.30 p.m. from XHMD on "Leprosy as a national problem of China." All those who are interested on the subject are most cordially invited to tune in.

FOUND guilty of trafficking in opium, six minor officials connected with the sixth district bureau of Szechuen Province were court-martialled and executed by a firing squad in Chengtu on January 3 by order of General Chiang Kai-shek, says a Chengtu Chinese message to the "Sin Wan Pao."

PURSUANT to a petition from the Shanghai City Chamber of Commerce and the two Chinese Bankers' associations, the Ministry of Finance has instructed the Joint Office of the four Chinese Government banks to ship more subsidiary bank-notes to Shanghai to relieve the acute shortage of small coins, says the "Sin Wan Pao."

A DIVORCE was granted to Mrs. Raissa Naumovna Lanuzel by Judge Rivelain-Kauffman, president of the court, in the Civil French Consular Court yesterday with costs. The plaintiff was represented by Me. Julien Barraud and the defendant Mr. Louis F. Lanuzel, by Dr. P. V. Terni. Dr. Terni for the defendant withdrew the countersuit.

A DELEGATE of the Central Kuomintang in Chungking will shortly leave for the United States where he will undertake to organize 10,000 overseas Chinese youths as members of the branch office of the Three Principles Youth Corps, says a Chungking Chinese message to the "Sin Wan Pao." A branch office of the corps will also be established in Manila for the same purpose, the report adds.

THE Yunnan-Szechuen highway, measuring 910 kilometres in length, will shortly be completed and be open to traffic towards the end of this month, says a report to the "Shun Pao." This is one of the most important highways, which affords direct communication between the provinces, and is also linked up with highway and water communications to other provinces, the report adds.

ON behalf of the Muslim National Salvation Association of China, of which he is the Executive-General, General Pai Chung-hsi, on Thursday sent a message to the Turkish Minister to China, expressing the association's great sympathy with the Turkish people over the damage and loss of lives wrought by the recent earthquake in Turkey, says a Chungking Chinese message to the "Shun Pao."

A MAN who was pushed by the crowd as he was entering an excursion train and thrown between two carriages, receiving serious injuries, has been awarded £850 damages. His wife, who was greatly distressed at seeing the accident, was awarded £150. The damages were against the L.M.S. Railway Company, and the accident occurred on the night of the world's speedway championship at Wembley last year.

A SUCCESSFUL concert was performed by three Canadian and three Chinese children, supported by a party of British naval ratings in Chungking on December 27, in aid of the Wartime Child Welfare Association, says a belated Chungking Chinese message to the "Shun Pao." A sum of $910 was raised as a result of the concert, and delivered to Madame Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the association, the report adds.

MAJOR and Mrs. H. Woodland arrived with their family in Shanghai during the New Year. The many friends of the Salvation Army will be interested to know that Major and Mrs. Woodland have been appointed by the territorial headquarters of the Salvation Army for China to be the Assistant Regional Officers for Shanghai region. Major and Mrs. Woodland have had a long experience of Salvation Army work in China. Major Woodland is also an accomplished musician and a good Chinese linguist.

MR. Walter Reynolds, the 88-year-old author of "Young England," which was revived in London recently, gained most of his theatrical experience in Leeds. Forty or more years ago he was the manager of the Theatre Royal in that city, and made it celebrated for two things—melodrama and pantomime. At the time the rival theatre, the Grand, was managed by Mr. Wilson Barrett, and the competition was to the advantage of the local theatre-going public. Since he retired from business, Mr. Reynolds has lived at Hampstead, and for a period was a useful member of the London County Council.

# R.A.F.A. Honours Japanese Guests

### Naval Attache, Commandant Attend Tiffin Function At Dome

Vice-Admiral S. Iwamura, Japanese Naval Attaché; Rear-Admiral M. Takeda, Commanding the Japanese Naval Landing Party, and Lieut. Ogasawa, Aide-de-Camp to the Rear-Admiral, were the guests of honour at yesterday's weekly tiffin meeting of the Royal Air Force Association of Shanghai.

Sir Victor Sassoon, President of the R.A.F.A. made the following address to those present:

"Today I have the honour and pleasure of welcoming on your behalf the representatives of the Japanese Navy. I think I may say without contradiction that the British Navy is godmother to the Japanese Navy, and has taught her not only the rudiments of naval technique matters, but also the British naval spirit, which has been handed down to us through the ages from the exploits of Francis Drake, through Nelson and many others. Therefore, I think I would not be wrong in saying that the Japanese Navy probably understands the British Navy better than anyone else and her sympathies could not have failed to be with us during the incident which took place at Montevideo.

"It would be foolish to exaggerate this little scrap. All said and done, whether the Admiral Graf Spee was liquidated there or later was only a matter of time, and could not have any real influence on the outcome of this unfortunate war. But it was not the fact that the Admiral Graf Spee was satisfactorily dealt with which is of importance: what is of importance was the way in which it was done. You will remember that the captain of the German pocket battleship, in his interview, expressed surprise that the two British light cruisers, armed only with 6-inch guns, should have had the audacity to come through his smoke-screen and attack him when he was prepared to break off the engagement. I do not think that the Japanese flag officers here today were surprised at that. To them, as to our Navy, the fact that the enemy was there was enough to make any war vessel rush in the attack, irrespective of what her armament might be, or how much the odds were against her, because that is the spirit of the Japanese Navy, as it is the spirit of the British Navy.

**Germans Brave**

"There are some who maintain that the morale of the German Navy must have deteriorated greatly since the last war owing to this incident, and others who wonder whether the German fighting forces have been imbued with the spirit of Mr. Himmler's S.S. and S.A. men who derive more enjoyment from torturing miserable defenceless civilians in concentration camps than they would if they had to stand up against antagonists who were armed and could defend themselves, but I don't agree with that because I believe that the German military, naval and air forces will prove themselves as gallant and as brave as they have done in the past.

"What I think did happen is that the German sailors were so saturated with the propaganda of the inaccurate Dr. Joseph Goebbels that they could not believe that the sons of what they have been taught is a superannuated, senile and decadent nation would do anything else but call off an engagement and run away when given an opportunity to do so, and that when our cruisers came through the smoke-screen the Germans were so taken by surprise that they could do nothing till it was too late.

**Fighting Spirit Same**

"What has been shown at Montevideo, what is being shown every day in the scraps which are taking place in the air over Heligoland and over Scotland, and what will be shown on the Maginot Line when the right time comes, is that the fighting spirit of the fighting forces of Great Britain is not one wit inferior to what it used to be, and that the Navy of Great Britain in particular will show that she is still worthy of having been chosen by Japan in the past to afford her instruction in the mysteries of naval warfare."

Sir Victor thereupon proposed a toast to the health of the Japanese Navy coupled with the names of the gallant flag officers who were the guests of honour.

Vice-Admiral Iwamura replied thanking the R.A.F.A. for having invited him and his fellow officers' and fully supporting what Sir Victor had said only a few minutes before.

**Leaders of the Allied Armed Force**

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# Gang Arrested Quickly After Robbing Foreigner

### Alarm Raised by Woman Brings Aid in Hongkew

One of those fairly rare cases in which the whole gang was arrested shortly after the crime was recorded in Hongkew on Thursday night, after an armed band of four men had robbed a German emigrant lady of her handbag.

The victim was walking in Dent Road, near Tongshan Road, at 10.30 o'clock when she was halted by four Chinese armed with two axes and what appeared to be a pistol. They demanded that she hand over her bag and when she refused they seized it and started to run. The lady, however, shouted for help and her cries were heard by three Chinese detective "seconds" who gave chase. These succeeded in grabbing three of the four bandits, and later in the evening the fourth was arrested.

The stolen handbag was recovered but it was minus the money it had contained. The "pistol" displayed by the gang proved to be imitation.

The prisoners were brought before the First Special District Court yesterday morning.

The victim of the robbery vanished while the chase was still in progress, and the police did not learn her name and address. She is requested to communicate as soon as possible with either Hongkew Police Station or Crime Branch Headquarters, 185 Foochow Road.

# *Vice-Admiral Holt Leaves Shanghai*

Flying the flag of Vice-Admiral R. V. Holt, who has been British Senior Naval Officer, Yangtze, since 1937, H.M.S. Scorpion has left Shanghai. As has been reported in these columns, in accordance with their policy to reduce the number of gunboats on the Yangtze River in order to fulfill military requirements elsewhere, and to release officers and men for employment on active service, H. M. Government have withdrawn or laid up the majority of gunboats attached to the Yangtze Flotilla.


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# Robber Shot Dead On Hankow Road

### Police Shoot it Out with Gang After Raid on Hong And Seize Two Pistols

Pistols flashed in Hankow Road, at the crowded intersection of Fokien Road, early yesterday afternoon when police challenged a gang of armed bandits after a robbery. The result was that one of the gang was shot dead and two guns were seized.

Shortly before 3 o'clock three men entered the Hwa Foo Transportation Co., a Chinese establishment, in House 5, Lane 455 Hankow Road, produced two pistols one of which was a high-powered Mauser and ordered the staff to open the safe. The terrified assistants complied and the bandits helped themselves to about $1,000 in bank-notes. Then they ran out into the lane and turned the corner into Hankow Road.

One of the hong assistants recovered his presence of mind more quickly than the rest and followed the fleeing robbers, shouting "jang dau" as he ran. He attracted the attention of some Chinese and Sikh constables on duty in the vicinity and these men challenged the bandits. The latter opened fire and the police immediately responded. Several shots were fired, one of them felling one of the robbers.

**Station Party Turns Out**

An alarm meanwhile had been telephoned to Louza Police Station and a large party of detectives and uniformed men under Chief Inspector F. S. Dudley hurried to the scene. They were not in time, however, to participate in the engagement.

The wounded bandit was picked up and placed in a Fire Brigade ambulance. From his grasp the police took an automatic pistol which had a bullet in the breech. He was sent to the Police Hospital but he was already dead when admitted, from a wound in the abdomen.

The other two robbers escaped, one of them discarding a Mauser pistol into an open shop front as he ran. When this weapon was examined, it also was found to have a live round in the breech.

Detective Sub-Inspector W. G. Smith turned the two guns over to the S.M.P. Ballistics Section for examination to learn if the weapons have a previous history in Shanghai.

# Beggars Arrested in Attempt to Get Rice

Although the retail price was slightly lower yesterday, minor trouble connected with rice handling occurred in the congested Sinza district. Between 8 and 9 a.m., a group of about 25 Chinese, mostly of the beggar class, toured various rice shops in the area and demanded rice. They were intercepted at a hong situated at 284 Myburgh Road, where the police arrested eight of their number.

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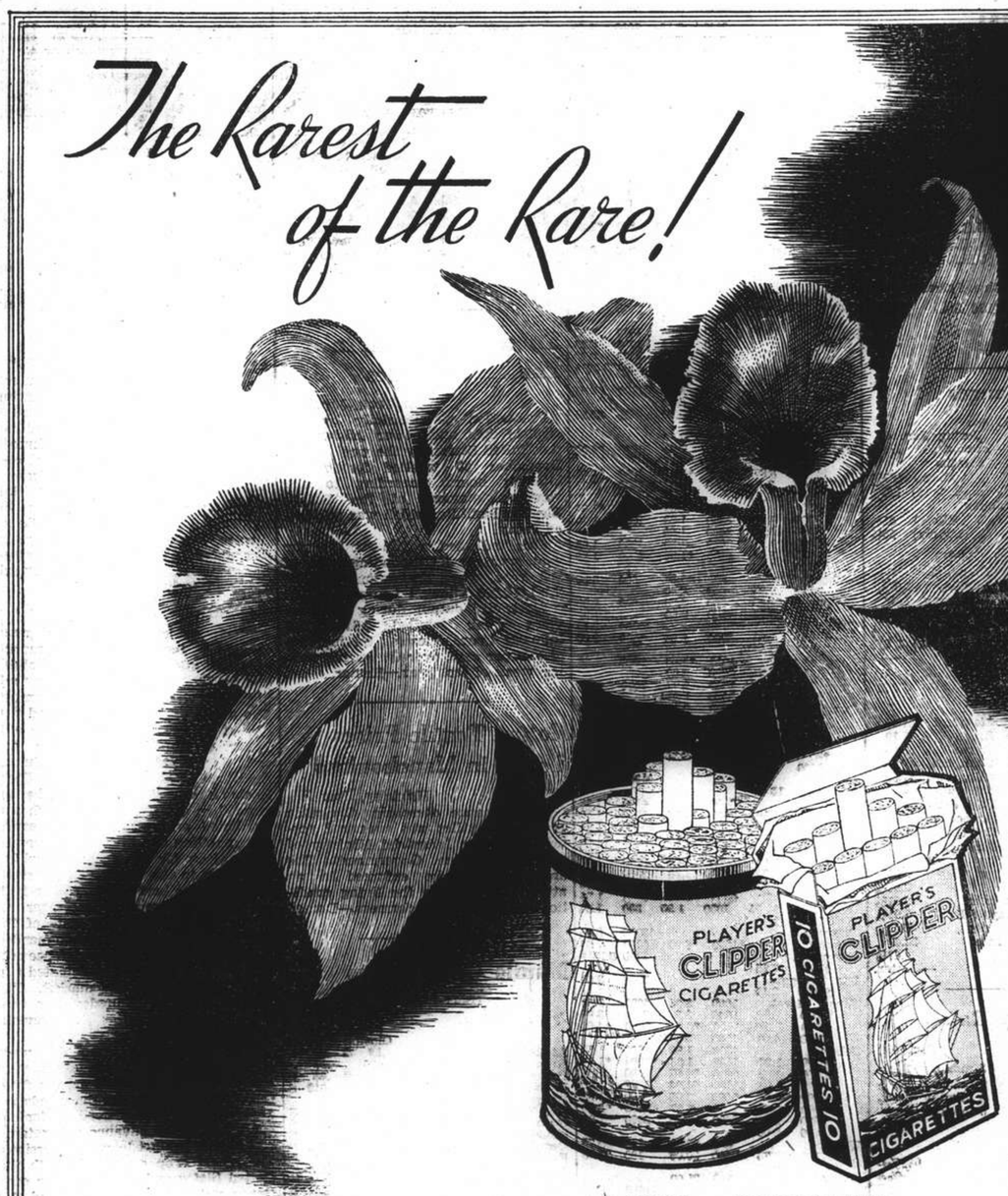


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| ...closing Rate for Cash | 3.92¾ |
| ...s U.S.$ for Cash | 3.92¼ |
| ...s U.S.$ for Cash | 3.92½ |

...al exchange market opened ...ers to merchants at 4¾ ...nd 7¾ U.S.$.
...erbank marke topened with ... 4¾ sterling and 7¾ U.S.$. ... delivery. Selling from out... ...ed steadiness almost im..., and this was augmented ... local selling in response ...o-Japanese peace rumours. ... some small set-backs ...ise was quite considerable ...ting to 1/32 in sterling and 3/16 ...S.$. and the market closed steady ... sellers at:-

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sterling | 8⅛ | U.S.$. Cash |
| Sterling | 8 1/32 | U.S.$. Jan. |
| Sterling | 7 31/32 | U.S.$. Feb. |

### Yesterday's Rice Prices

| | |
|---|---|
| ...angshu per shih (176 lbs.) | $40.00 |
| ...ngkiang „ | 38.00 |
| ...gon „ | 36.50 |

## ...oreign Exchanges

...ombay Rupee T. T. on: Closing Jan. 4.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Japan | 80¼ | London | 1/5 31/32 |
| New York | 333 | 2 mths | |
| Shanghai | 28 | „ (sellers) | 1/5 31/32 |
| Hongkong | 84 | „ (buyers) | 1/6 1/32 |
| | | Japan | |
| | | „ (sellers) | 81⅜ |
| | | „ (buyers) | 80¼ |

London & Sterling T. T. on:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 402.00 | Shanghai | 4 1/32d |
| Paris | 176.00 | Bombay | 1/6 3/32* |
| Berlin | | Hongkong | 1/3* |
| Amsterdam | 7.50 | Singapore | 2/4 1/32* |
| Brussels | 23.75 | Yokohama | 1/2 1/32 |
| Madrid | 36.50 * | „ (buying) | 1/2¼ |
| Milan | 77.25 | Prague | — |
| Berne | 17.80 | | |

*—Unofficial rates.

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Berlin | 40.20 | Montreal | 87.810 |
| Spain | 9.95 | Brazil | 5.10 |
| Holland | 53.34 | Japan | 23.49 |
| Paris | 2.22⅜ | Shanghai | 7.80 |
| Brussels | 16.80 | Hungary | 17.60 |
| Italy | 5.05 | Rumania | 0.73 |
| S'zerland | 22.43 | Yugo Slavia | 2.35 |
| Sweden | 23.82½ | Greece | 0.73 |
| Norway | 22.72½ | Bulgaria | unq. |
| Denmark | 19.32½ | Finland | 1.95 |
| London | | | 3.92¾ |
| „ Demand | | | 3.91¾ |
| „ Bankers' 60 days bills | | | 3.91¾ |
| „ Commercial 60 days bills | | | 3.91¾ |
| Buenos Aires, Paper | | | Unq. |
| „ „ market rate | | | 22.47 |
| Montreal on London | | | 4.47¼ |

—Reuter.

## Foreign Money Rates

| London: | | Jan. 4. |
|---|---|---|
| Fine Bank Bills | 3 months | 1 3/32% |
| Bank Bills | 6 months | 1 3/32% |
| Fine Trade Bills, | 3 months | 2 3/32% |
| Fine Trade Bills, | 6 months | 3 1/32% |
| Call Money | | 0 1/32% |
| New York: | | |
| Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months | | 0 1/32%B 0 1/32%A |
| Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months | | 0 1/32%B 0 1/32%A |
| Call Money | | 1% |

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

## Finnish-German Trade

Helsinki, Jan. 5.

President Kyosto Kallio of Finland ...oday approved prolongation for 1940 ...f the trade and clearing treaty with ...ermany.—Havas.

## Silver Quotations

London, Jan. 5.

Silver prices advanced a little to-..., with quotations being recorded ...

| | Jan. 4 | Jan. 5 |
|---|---|---|
| ...ndon Spot | 21 1/32d. | 21 1/32d. |
| forward | 21 1/32d. | 21 1/32d. |
| „ gold | 168/- | 168/- |

—Reuter.

## Shanghai Stocks

### Yesterday's Business

A continuance of the previous day's strength was seen in the market yesterday when practically all Rubber issues reached new high points. As was pointed out yesterday the cheaper shares such as Kelantans, Chengs and Tebongs were the most popular, eclipsing the heavier shares which in proportion to the spectacular rise of the small shares, now seem to be much undervalued. In the Industrial market China Realties were the most popular, closing steady at 8.70 buyers. Ewos likewise were firm at 29 while Docks improved to 225 on the dividend news.

**Official Averages**

| 1939 High | 1939 Low | | Today's Averages | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 108.12 | 105.32 | General | 216.84 | +0.06 |
| 57.46 | 53.55 | Rubbers | 329.76 | +4.33 |

Total 834,748 shares, 185 bonds

**Business Done**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| S. M. C. 5% Debs. | | | 2500 | *74.50 |
| 10020 | 74.00 | | | |
| Power 5½% Debs. | | | 6000 | 83.00 |
| ...I. Trust | | 2000 | 11.40 | 1000 *11.50 |
| †500 | 11.50 | 500 | *11.60 | |
| †500 | 11.60 | 1500 | 11.50 | 500 *11.60 |
| 1000 | 11.60 | | | |
| Shai Loan | | 500 | *14.60 | 3000 *14.70 |
| 500 | 14.70 | | | |
| †2000 | 14.70 | 1000 | *14.70 | 500 14.80 |
| Yangtsze Finance | | | | 1500 10.40 |
| 500 | 10.30 | 1000 | 10.40 | 500 10.50 |
| 1000 | 10.40 | 3500 | 10.50 | 500 10.60 |
| †2500 | 10.60 | | | |
| China Realty | | 500 | 8.60 | 500 8.70 |
| 1000 | 8.60 | 1500 | *8.70 | 500 8.60 |
| 500 | 8.70 | 2500 | *8.70 | 2300 8.65 |
| 5000 | 8.60 | 1000 | 8.65 | 500 *8.65 |
| 2000 | 8.70 | 1500 | *8.70 | 3000 8.60 |
| 7500 | 8.65 | 2000 | *8.65 | |
| †2000 | 8.70 | 2000 | 8.65 | 500 8.70 |
| 500 | *8.80 | 1000 | 8.75 | 2500 8.80 |
| 500 | 8.75 | 2000 | 8.70 | 2000 8.80 |
| Shai Land | | 2500 | 13.80 | 500 13.70 |
| 500 | *13.80 | 500 | 13.70 | |
| †3000 | 13.70 | 500 | *13.60 | |
| New Eng. (Ord) | | 500 | 20.75 | 400 *20.75 |
| 200 | 21.00 | 100 | *20.75 | 500 21.00 |
| 100 | 20.75 | 200 | *21.00 | 1200 21.00 |
| 300 | 20.75 | 800 | 21.00 | 600 21.25 |
| 100 | *21.25 | 4400 | 21.50 | 500 *21.25 |
| 1300 | 21.50 | 300 | 21.50 | |
| †5100 | 21.25 | | | |
| Shai Dock | | 105 | *221.00 | 200 *220.00 |
| 100 | *225.00 | 50 | 225.00 | |
| †50 | 225.00 | | | |
| Wheelock | | | | 400 77.00 |
| †300 | 76.50 | | | |
| C. G. Omnibus | | 100 | 24.25 | 200 24.00 |
| †100 | 23.75 | 100 | 23.50 | |
| Shai Gas | | | | 500 12.30 |
| Telephone | | 500 | 22.75 | 100 *23.00 |
| 1500 | 23.00 | 200 | 22.75 | 100 *23.00 |
| 300 | 23.00 | | | |
| †200 | 22.75 | | | |
| Tram (Bearer) | £1 | | | 300 44.75 |
| 100 | 44.50 | 100 | 44.75 | 300 44.50 |
| 150 | *44.50 | | | |
| †600 | 44.50 | 100 | 44.00 | 100 43.50 |
| Metal | | 2500 | 18.80 | 500 18.70 |
| 100 | *18.80 | 100 | 18.80 | 1900 18.70 |
| 200 | *18.70 | 300 | 18.60 | |
| †100 | 18.70 | 900 | 18.80 | 400 *18.80 |
| 1000 | 18.70 | | | |
| Exploration | | 1500 | 8.95 | 500 9.00 |
| †300 | 8.95 | 1500 | 8.90 | |
| †500 | 8.75 | | | |
| Shai Power (Pref) | | | | 70 128.75 |
| 10*128.75 | | 60 | 129.00 | 1100 *28.70 |
| Ewo Mills (Ord) | | 2400 | 28.70 | 1100 *28.70 |
| †500 | 28.90 | 1700 | 29.00 | 100 29.00 |
| 600 | 28.90 | 1000 | *29.00 | |
| Alma | | 300 | 41.00 | 200 41.50 |
| †200 | 42.50 | | | |
| Anglo Dutch | | 100 | 20.75 | 500 21.00 |
| 200 | 21.25 | 100 | 22.00 | |
| †100 | 22.00 | 900 | 22.00 | 200 22.50 |
| Anglo Java | | 12000 | 41.50 | 700 41.75 |
| 200 | *42.00 | 200 | 42.00 | 100 *42.25 |
| 100 | 42.25 | 100 | *42.75 | 200 43.00 |
| †800 | 43.00 | 600 | *40.00 | |
| Ayer Tawah | | | | †500 7.25 |
| Batu Anam | | 2000 | *2.05 | 1000 2.05 |
| 1000 | 2.02½ | 1000 | *2.05 | 6000 2.05 |
| †1000 | 2.05 | 1000 | 2.10 | 1000 2.15 |
| 1000 | 2.12½ | 2000 | 2.15 | 1000 2.17½ |
| 1000 | 2.15 | | | |
| Bute | | 1000 | 9.80 | 1000 9.75 |
| †500 | 9.80 | 500 | 9.90 | |
| Chemor | | 5000 | 2.95 | 1000 3.00 |
| 1000 | 2.95 | 7000 | 3.00 | |
| †1000 | 3.00 | 6000 | 3.05 | 2000 3.07½ |
| Cheng | | 2000 | 1.02 | 2000 1.00 |
| 5000 | 1.02 | 3000 | 1.00 | 2000 *1.00 |
| 5000 | *1.02 | 1000 | 1.00 | 1000 *1.02 |
| 2000 | *1.00 | 1000 | 1.02 | 7000 1.00 |
| 1000 | 1.02 | 1000 | *1.00 | 1000 *1.02 |
| 1000 | *1.00 | 14000 | 1.02 | 1000 *1.02 |
| 17000 | 1.04 | 5000 | 1.06 | 5000 1.08 |
| 1000 | 1.06 | 6000 | 1.08 | 1000 1.06 |
| 12000 | 1.08 | 2000 | *1.08 | 2000 1.10 |
| 1000 | *1.10 | 1000 | 1.12 | 1000 *1.10 |
| †1000 | 1.12 | 4000 | *1.12 | 1000 *1.10 |
| †1000 | 1.12 | 5000 | 1.14 | 2000 1.15 |
| 2000 | 1.18 | 14000 | 1.20 | 1000 *1.20 |
| 2000 | 1.24 | 2000 | 1.22 | 1000 1.20 |
| 1000 | 1.22 | 7000 | 1.26 | 600 *1.28 |
| 7000 | 1.25 | 9000 | 1.24 | |
| Consolidated | | 2000 | *8.80 | 500 8.80 |
| 500 | 8.75 | 3000 | 8.80 | |
| †2000 | 9.00 | 1000 | *9.00 | |
| Dominion | | 500 | 12.90 | 2000 12.50 |
| †500 | 12.50 | 1000 | *12.70 | 3000 5.45 |
| Java Consolidated | | | | |
| 5000 | 5.50 | 6000 | 5.55 | |
| †5000 | *5.70 | 2000 | 5.70 | 1000 5.65 |
| Kota | | 1000 | 6.10 | 1000 6.20 |
| †500 | 6.25 | 2000 | *6.40 | 2000 6.40 |
| Kroewoek | | 1000 | 3.32½ | 1000 *3.32½ |
| 6000 | 3.35 | 1000 | *3.37½ | |
| †4000 | 3.40 | 2000 | 3.45 | 1000 *3.45 |
| 7000 | 3.42½ | 3000 | 3.40 | |
| Langkat | | 1000 | *28.50 | 400 28.25 |
| 1700 | 28.50 | | | |
| †100 | 28.75 | 100 | 28.50 | |
| Padang | | 1000 | *3.07½ | 3000 *3.00 |
| 1000 | 3.05 | 1000 | *3.07½ | 4000 *3.10 |
| †1000 | 3.07½ | 1000 | 3.12½ | 1000 3.15 |
| 2000 | 3.10 | | | |
| 2000 | 3.15 | | | |
| Repah | | 3000 | 1.63 | 8000 *1.64 |
| 1000 | 1.64 | 4000 | 1.68 | 1000 1.70 |
| 1000 | 1.72 | 2000 | 1.80 | |
| †3000 | 1.78 | 2000 | 1.80 | 1000 1.82 |
| 1000 | 1.84 | 1000 | *1.86 | 1000 1.86 |
| 1000 | 1.88 | | | |
| Rubber Trust | | 500 | *8.85 | 500 8.80 |
| 1500 | 8.85 | 500 | 8.80 | |
| †1000 | *8.85 | 500 | 8.90 | 1000 9.00 |
| 1000 | 8.95 | 500 | 9.00 | |
| Samarang | | | | 10000 2.15 |
| †1000 | 2.20 | 2000 | 2.25 | 1000 2.30 |
| 1000 | *2.37½ | | | |
| Semambu | | 1000 | *1.98 | 3000 1.96 |
| 1000 | 1.98 | 5000 | 2.00 | |
| †1000 | *2.02½ | 1000 | 2.05 | 7000 *2.02½ |
| 2000 | 2.05 | 3000 | 2.07½ | |
| Senawang | | 4000 | 2.15 | 3000 *2.15 |
| 1000 | 2.17½ | 3000 | 2.20 | 2000 2.25 |
| 1000 | 2.27½ | 2000 | 2.25 | 3000 2.30 |
| 2000 | *2.30 | 2000 | 2.32½ | |
| †2000 | 2.35 | 4000 | 2.37½ | 1000 2.40 |
| 2000 | 2.37½ | | | |
| Kedah | | | | 1000 12.00 |
| †500 | 12.40 | | | |
| Kelantan | | 10000 | 1.10 | 4000 *1.12 |
| 10000 | 1.16 | 7000 | *1.16 | 1000 1.18 |
| 7000 | 1.18 | 25000 | 1.18 | 20000 1.20 |
| 7000 | 1.20 | 3000 | 1.22 | 2000 *1.22 |
| 15000 | 1.24 | | | |
| †2000 | 1.24 | 4000 | 1.26 | 3000 1.28 |
| 2000 | 1.30 | 2000 | 1.28 | 2000 1.32 |
| 2000 | 1.34 | 1000 | 1.36 | 1000 1.34 |
| 16000 | 1.32 | 4000 | *1.36 | 6000 1.34 |
| 1000 | *1.34 | 1000 | 1.36 | 300 1.34 |
| 1000 | 1.35 | | | |
| Permata | | | | †2000 2.15 |
| Pahang | | *1000 | *6.90 | 6000 7.00 |
| Seremban | | | | 2000 3.12½ |
| †1000 | 3.25 | | | |
| Sua Manggis | | | | 2000 3.00 |
| †1000 | 3.10 | | | |
| Tanah Merah | | 1000 | 3.85 | 4000 3.90 |
| †2000 | 3.90 | 2000 | 3.92½ | 3000 3.95 |
| 1000 | 3.97½ | 1000 | *3.97½ | 3000 *4.00 |
| 5000 | 4.00 | 1000 | 3.97½ | |
| Tebong | | 2000 | 1.90 | 2000 1.88 |
| 6000 | 1.90 | 1000 | 1.86 | 2000 *1.90 |
| 10000 | 1.90 | 5000 | *1.92 | 15000 1.92 |
| 2000 | 1.94 | 11000 | *1.94 | 1000 1.96 |
| †3000 | 1.96 | 5000 | 1.98 | 9000 1.96 |
| 5000 | 2.00 | 1000 | 1.98 | 3000 *2.00 |
| 1000 | 1.98 | 2000 | 2.00 | 5000 1.98 |
| 3000 | 2.00 | | | |
| Ziangbe | | 400 | 29.50 | 100 29.75 |
| 100 | *29.75 | 100 | 30.00 | 100 27.75 |
| 700 | 30.00 | | | |
| †200 | 30.25 | 300 | 31.00 | |
| A. A. U. (Ord) | | | | †1000 5.00 |
| S. W. W. "C" | | | | 200 33.00 |
| S. W. W. Fitting | | | | 1000 1.90 |
| | ODD LOTS | | | |
| China Realty | | 400 | *8.70 | 200 8.70 |
| 200 | 8.65 | 100 | 8.75 | 63 8.75 |
| 400 | 8.60 | 300 | 8.70 | 100 8.40 |
| 300 | 8.60 | | | |
| †100 | 8.70 | 300 | *8.65 | |
| Alma | | | | 50 40.75 |
| Batu Anam | | | | 500 2.02½ |
| Shai Loan | | | | 100 14.70 |
| †100 | 14.80 | | | |
| Sungei Duri | | | | 25 64.00 |
| Telephone | | 30 | 23.25 | 40 22.50 |
| †20 | 22.25 | | | |
| Shai Land | | 100 | 13.85 | 100 13.60 |
| 100 | 13.80 | 230 | 13.90 | |
| †100 | 13.60 | 100 | 13.80 | 100 *13.60 |
| 200 | *13.60 | | | |
| Dominion | | | | 300 12.30 |
| Anglo Java | | 45 | 42.00 | 15 43.00 |
| Tanah Merah | | | | 500 3.92½ |
| Cheng | | | | 850 1.04 |
| Malay (Ord) | | | | 30 30.00 |
| Langkat | | | | 15 28.75 |
| Senawang | | | | 600 *2.40 |
| Yangtsze Finance | | | | †300 10.40 |
| S. & H. Wharf | | | | †10 267.00 |
| Rubber Trust | | | | †100 9.00 |
| Padang | | *800 | 3.12½ | 800 3.12½ |
| T. I. Trust | | | | †200 11.40 |
| Repah | | | | †500 1.86 |
| Tebong | | | | †675 1.96 |
| Exploration | | | | †100 8.90 |

*—Direct Business.
†—Afternoon Session.

## London Stocks

### Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Jan. 4.

Active conditions were witnessed on the London Stock Exchange today, with British gilt edged securities continuing their upward trend.

Home industrials presented a firm appearance, while mining issues experienced more or less a quiet day.

Among foreign bonds, Japanese issues advanced, whilst Chinese bonds ruled steady.—Reuter.

| | Jan. 3 | 4 |
|---|---|---|
| War Loan 3½% (Red.) | £93⅞ | 94 1/16 |
| JAPANESE BONDS | | |
| Japan 5% Stg. Loan 1907 | 51½ | 53½ |
| Japan 6% Stg. Loan 1924 | 57½ | 59 |
| COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL | | |
| Allied Ironfounders | 14/6 | 14/6 |
| Armstrong Stevens | 6/- | 6/- |
| Assoc. & Elec. Indus. | 38/6 | 38/1½ |
| Austin Motors, ord. | 16/6 | 16/6 |
| Bristol Aeroplane | 13/7½ | 13/6 |
| British American Tob. | 95/- | 95/- |
| Cable & W., new form | 56½ | 56¾ |
| Cammell Laird., ord. | 8/- | 8/4½ |
| Courtaulds | 38/7½ | 37/10½ |
| Distillers | 67/- | 68/- |
| Dunlop Rubber | 30/3 | 29/9 |
| General Elec. (Eng.) | 74/9 | 74/7½ |
| Guinness (A) Son & Co. | 82/6 | 82/6 |
| Hawker Siddeley Aircraft | 14/6 | 14/4½ |
| Imp. Chem. Indus. | 30/1½ | 30/3 |
| Imp. Tobacco | 118/1½ | 118/1½ |
| Leyland Motors | 87/9 | *87/1½ |
| Marks & Spencer "A" ord. | 52/1½ | 52/6 |
| Pressed Steel, com. | 15/1½ | 15/4½ |
| Rolls-Royce | 91/3 | 91/10½ |
| Smethwick Drop Forgings | 13/6 | 13/6 |
| Tate & Lyle | 57/1½ | 57/- |
| Turner & Newall | 65/- | 63/7½ |
| United Steel | 21/6 | 20/3 |
| Vickers, ord. | 17/4½ | 18/1½ |
| Woolworths | 61/3 | 62/6 |
| MISCELLANEOUS | | |
| Anglo Dutch | 27/3 | 27/- |
| Rubber Pltn. Inv. Trust | 34/1½ | 34/6 |
| MINES | | |
| Burma Corp. | 11/7½ | 11/9 |
| Commonwealth Min. | Unq. | Unq. |
| Marsman Invests. | 14/9 | 14/9 |
| Randfontein Ests. | 37/6 | 37/6 |
| Sub-Nigel | 193/9 | 197/6 |
| Tanami Gold Min. | 3d. | 3d. |
| Western Holdings | 11/- | 11/1½ |
| OILS | | |
| Anglo-Iranian | 56/10½ | 56/10½ |
| Burmah | 61/10½ | 62/6 |
| Mexican Eagle | 6/10½ | 6/10½ |
| Shell Trans. & Trad. | 81/3 | 81/3 |

*—Subject to confirmation.

| CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 4½% Gold Loan, 1898 | £56 | 56 |
| 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47 | 48 | 48 |
| 6% Anglo-French Loan | 45 | 45 |
| 5% Crisp Loan, 1912 | 25 | 25½ |
| 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 | 35½ | 37 |
| 6% Stg. Notes, 1925 | 13 | 13 |
| 5% Honan Rly., 1905 | 15 | 15 |
| 5% Hukuang Rly., 1911 | 17 | 17 |
| (Ger. Is.) | 16 | 16 |
| 5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly. | 14 | 14 |
| 5% S'hai-Nanking Rly. | 18 | 18 |
| 5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B. | 14 | 14 |
| 5% „ „ G. | 14 | 14 |
| 5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) B. | 14 | 14 |
| 5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) G. | 14 | 14 |
| 5% Canton-Kowloon Rly. | 17 | 17 |
| S'hai Elec. Construction | 13/- | 13/- |
| S'hai Waterworks "A" | 12 | 12 |
| Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton | 23½ | 23½ |
| Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C. | 8½ | 8½ |
| H. & S. Bank (Idn. Reg.) | 82 | 83½ |
| „ (Col. Reg.) | 84½ | 85½ |
| Mercantile Bank of India | 11⅝ | 11⅝ |
| Chinese Eng. & Min. | 17/6 | 17/6 |
| Chosen Corp. | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| Pekin Syndicate | 1/6 | 1/6 |
| Gula Kalumpong Rubber | 23/1½ | 22/6 |

## British Commodities

### Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Jan. 4.

Commodities, generally, were quiet and featureless today.

**London Rubber:** Spot buyers 11 11/16 unc; sellers 11¾ unc. Feb. del. buyers 11⅝ unc; sellers 11¾ unc.

**Liverpool Cotton:** American Futures: Jan. 8.84 +10; Mar. 8.81 +9; May 8.78 8 +8; July 8.69 +8. Egyptian Futures: (Giza, f.g.f. No. 7) No. 2 Contract. Jan. 10.65 +15; Mar. 10.80 +14; May 10.91 +15; July 10.96 +14.

**London Metals:** Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £244¾ —2; 3 mths del. sellers £243¾ —2½. Tin, Straits, £269¾ —2. Antimony, China Regulus, c.i.f. per ton £76 to £80, nominal, unchanged.

**New York Metals:** Antimony, Chinese, in carload lots (25 tons) f.o.b. New York, duty paid, 16½ cents per lb., unch. Tin, Straits, c.i.f. New York (25 ton lots) 47½ cents per lb., —2. Copper, Electrolytic, first hand, 12½ cents per lb., unch.—Reuter.

## Electricity Output in The United States

New York, Jan. 4.

Production of electricity by the electric light and power industry of the United States for the week ended December 30 totalled 2,404,000,000 kilowatt hours, according to the weekly statement of the Edison Electric Institute, which was published today.

This indicated a gain of 13.4 per cent over the corresponding week of last year, when the output totalled 2,121,000,000 kilowatt hours.

Electricity output during the previous week totalled 2,641,000,000 kilowatt hours, showing an increase of 11.6 per cent. over the corresponding week of last year.—Reuter.

## Cotton Textile Prices Lower in Manchoukuo

Hsinking, Jan. 5.

An ordinance decreasing the price of cotton textiles was approved yesterday by the Industrial Ministry of the Manchoukuo Government. The ordinance will be enforced in an attempt to stabilize the living conditions of Manchoukuo farmers.—Domei.

## Manila Gold Shares

(Bids in Pesos)

| Jan. 5. | Bid Prices a.m. Closing | p.m. Closing |
|---|---|---|
| Atoks | .23 S | .22 S |
| Antamok | .165 | .17 |
| Baguio Gold | .22 S | .23 S |
| Batong Buhay | .015 S | .015 S |
| Benguet Consolidated | 5.75 S * | — |
| Big Wedge | .24 | .245 S |
| Coco Grove | .16 S | .16 S |
| Consolidated Mines | .0035 | .004 S |
| Demonstration | .13 S | .125 S |
| East Mindanao | .12 S | .12 S |
| I X L | .405 S | .405 S |
| Ipo Gold | .145 S | .145 S |
| Itogon | .30 S | .305 S |
| Mambulao Consolidated | .017 | .017 |
| Masbate Consolidated | .12 S | .12 S |
| Mine Operations | .12 S | .115 S |
| North Camarines | .16 | .16 |
| Paracale Gumaus | .19 | .19 |
| San Mauricio | .95 S | .95 S |
| Surigao Consolidated | .21 S | .21 S |
| Suyoc | .14 S | .14 S |
| Syndicate Investment | .027 S | .027 S |
| United Paracale | .345 S | .345 S |
| Mindanao Motheriodge | .0975 | .0975 S |

*—Over Counter.
S—Sales.

Turnover for the Morning: 123,600 Pesos.

Shares Index: (Morning Session) 83.32.—Reuter.

## Paris Bourse

Paris, Jan. 4.

The Bourse opened firm today amid active trading. During the session, the bullish trend continued led by French issues. Internationals lagged somewhat.

Towards the close, sales weighed heavily, most stocks losing part of their early gains.—Havas.

## New York Stocks

### Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Jan. 4.

Stock prices on Wall Street today mostly finished from fractions to about one point lower.

The market early advanced, but, while some firm spots persisted, gains were mostly wiped out later on profit taking, with the market turning idle on the setback.

After a cursory reading of the President's Budget Message, opinion in Wall Street was that it was about as expected.

Advices that foreign selling has dried up, with small net purchases reported recently made by neutrals, aroused interest.

Meanwhile, despite some indecision, the underlying sentiment in the market seems to lean to the constructive side.

The volume of trading amounted to 860,000 shares.—Reuter.

**Dow-Jones Averages**

| | High | Low | Close | Changes |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 Indust. | 153.26 | 152.06 | 152.43 | —0.37 |
| 20 Rails | 33.00 | 32.59 | 32.67 | +0.01 |
| 15 Utilit. | 26.55 | 26.22 | 26.35 | —0.10 |
| 40 Bonds | — | — | 90.51 | —0.10 |
| 11 Commod. | — | — | 63.43 | —0.47 |

| | Jan 3 | 4 | | Jan 3 | 4 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adams Exp | 9 | 8½ | Jones & L | 67 | 67 |
| Alg Lud Sil | 22½ | 22¾ | Kennecott | 38⅛ | 38⅜ |
| Allid Stores | 9¼ | 9 | Lak F & M | ¾ | 4¼ |
| Allis Chal | 41¼ | 41 | Libbey O F | 52¼ | 52½ |
| Alumin Ld | 93⅛ | 93¾ | Lockheed | 30⅛ | 30⅜ |
| Amer Can | 114⅜ | 114 | Loews | 37 | 36¾ |
| Am Cyan B | 33⅜ | 33¾ | Mack Trks | 28⅛ | 28 |
| Am For Pr | 2¼ | 2½ | Martin G | 40⅜ | 40½ |
| „ $7 pfd | 26½ | 26½ | McK & R | *16½ | *17½ |
| Am G & E | 39 | 39 | Monsanto | 109⅛ | 109⅜ |
| Am Loco | 22⅜ | 22 | Mont Ward | 55¼ | 54⅜ |
| Am Metal | 24¼ | 24½ | Nat Avian | 13⅜ | 13½ |
| Am Radtr | 10¼ | 10½ | Nat City B | *28⅛ | *28⅜ |
| Am R Mill | 17⅜ | 17½ | Nat Dairy | 16¼ | 17 |
| Am Smeltg | 52½ | 52½ | Nat Distrs | 24⅜ | 24⅝ |
| Am Sug R | 20 | 20½ | Nat Gyp | 12⅜ | 12⅜ |
| Am T & T | 172¼ | 171⅛ | Nat Lead | 21⅛ | 20⅜ |
| Am Tob B | 88⅛ | 88 | Nat P & L | 8⅛ | 8⅛ |
| Am Wtrwks | 12⅛ | 12⅜ | Nat Steel | 73⅛ | 73½ |
| Anaconda | 30½ | 30⅜ | Nat Supply | 9⅜ | 9⅜ |
| Atchison | 25 | 24⅜ | N Y Cent | 18⅛ | 18½ |
| Auburn | 2⅜ | 2⅜ | Niag Hud | 6¼ | 6 |
| Bald Loco | 17⅛ | 17⅛ | N A Avian | 26¼ | 25⅝ |
| B & Ohio | 6⅜ | 6⅛ | N Am Co | 23⅜ | 23⅜ |
| Barber | 15 | 15 | N Pacific | 9½ | 9½ |
| Barns Oil | 13 | 13 | O I Glass | 63¼ | 63½ |
| Bendix | 31⅜ | 30¾ | Pac G & E | 34 | 33⅜ |
| Beth Steel | 82 | 82 | Pac Lightg | 50 | 49⅜ |
| Bliss | 14⅜ | 14⅛ | Packard | 3¼ | 3⅜ |
| Boeing | 23 | 23 | Paramount | 8 | 7⅞ |
| Borg Warn | 25⅞ | 25½ | Penn R R. | 24½ | 24¼ |
| Briggs | 22¼ | 22¼ | Phelps D | 40⅜ | 40 |
| Bkn-M Tr | 14⅜ | 14½ | P & R Coal | *0⅜ | *0⅜ |
| „ $6 pfd | 49½ | *49⅜ | Phill Pet | 41⅜ | 41⅜ |
| Budd Mfg. | 5⅛ | 5¼ | Pitts C & I | 81 | 81 |
| Can Pac | 5⅛ | 5⅛ | Pullman | 32 | 32 |
| Case J.I. | *74 | 75 | P S of N J | 41 | 41½ |
| Celanese | 30½ | 29½ | Pure Oil | 8⅜ | 8⅜ |
| Chase N B | *36½ | *36⅜ | Radio | 5⅛ | 5⅛ |
| Ches & O | 41½ | 41⅜ | Reading | 18⅛ | 18½ |
| Chrysler | 91½ | 90 | „ 1st pfd | *25 | *25½ |
| Clim Mlyb | 38¾ | 38¼ | Rem Arms | *4⅛ | *4⅛ |
| Colts | 83 | *82 | Rep Avian | 5⅜ | 6⅛ |
| Col G & E | 7⅛ | 7⅛ | Rep Steel | 23⅜ | 23⅜ |
| „ 6% pfd | 90 | 89½ | Rev C & B | 14⅜ | 14⅜ |
| Com Cred | 47⅛ | 45⅛ | Rey Tob B | 40 | 40½ |
| Com & Sth | 1⅜ | 1⅜ | Richfield | 8⅛ | 8⅜ |
| Cons Edis | 32 | 31⅛ | Safeway | 47⅛ | 47 |
| Cons Oil | 8 | 7⅞ | Schenley | 12⅜ | 12⅜ |
| Cont Can | 43⅜ | 43⅜ | Sears Roeb | 86⅛ | 86⅜ |
| Cont Oil | 24⅛ | 24⅜ | Shell U Oil | 12⅜ | 13⅛ |
| Copwid St | 16⅜ | 16⅛ | Soc-Vac | 12⅛ | 12⅜ |
| Corn Prod | 64⅛ | 64⅜ | Sthrn Pac | 15⅛ | 15⅛ |
| Curtis Wr | 10⅜ | 10⅜ | Sthrn Rly | 34⅜ | 33⅜ |
| „ A | 30⅛ | 29⅜ | Sperry | 46⅛ | 45⅞ |
| Deere & Co | 23⅜ | 23⅜ | Spicer | 33⅜ | 33¼ |
| Dist Cpn S | 19¼ | 19⅛ | Std Brands | 6¼ | 6⅜ |
| Douglas | 83⅛ | 82¼ | Std G & E | 2⅞ | 2⅞ |
| Du Pont | 183⅜ | 183⅛ | Std Oil C | 25⅞ | 25⅞ |
| Eag P Lead | 12⅛ | 12 | Std Oil N.J. | 45⅝ | 45½ |
| Eaton Mfg. | 30⅜ | 30¼ | Stone & W | 12⅜ | 12⅛ |
| Elc A Lite | 39⅛ | 38⅜ | Studebaker | 9¼ | 9⅜ |
| Elec B & S | 8¼ | 8¼ | Swift Int | 32 | 32 |
| „ $5 pfd | 60⅜ | 61 | Technicolr | 14¼ | 14⅜ |
| „ $6 pfd | 69⅛ | 68⅜ | Tex Corp | 45⅜ | 45⅝ |
| F P & L | 33⅞ | 33 | Tex Gulf | 34¼ | 34⅜ |
| Flintkote | 20⅜ | 20¼ | Transamer | 6⅛ | 6¼ |
| Gen Am Tr | 57½ | 57 | Tw Cent F | 12⅜ | 12⅞ |
| Gen Elec | 40⅜ | 40⅜ | T C F pfd | 24⅜ | 24⅜ |
| Gen Motors | 55⅜ | 54⅞ | Un Carbide | 87¼ | 88 |
| Gen Rly Sig | 18⅜ | 19¼ | Un Pacific | 96¼ | 96⅛ |
| Gen T & R | 23⅞ | 23⅛ | Un

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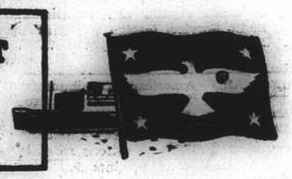

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|---|---|---|
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| NAGASAKI MARU | Jan. 11 ..... | Jan. 12 at 9 a.m. |

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SUMATRA MARU ..... Jan. 23
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BORNEO MARU ..... Jan. 24
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## *Vessels Arriving To-day*

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive to-day are based upon information available yesterday evening

From KEELUNG: Tyosa Maru, due 9 a.m. O. S. K. Wharf.

## *Due at Future Dates*

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

On account of the present international situation there is considerable interference with movements of ships, especially those from Europe. In cases where it is definitely known that the vessel is not running to schedule the Shanghai arrival date is omitted.

### EUROPE AND STRAITS

| From LISBON | | |
|---|---|---|
| Torrens | 10/12 | 30/1 |
| **From TRIESTE** | | |
| Fusijama | 21/11 | 15/1 |
| C. Verde | 21/12 | 17/1 |
| Himalaya | 21/12 | 7/2 |
| **From KARACHI** | | |
| Fusijama | 16/12 | 15/1 |
| Sumatra | 27/12 | 20/1 |

| From SOERABAYA | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tjisadane | 22/12 | 8/1 |
| Tjinegara | 29/12 | 15/1 |
| **From BATAVIA** | | |
| Tjinegara | 2/1 | 15/1 |
| **From HONGKONG** | | |
| See "China Ports" below. | | |

### AMERICA AND JAPAN

| From NEW YORK | | |
|---|---|---|
| Vigrid | 10/10 | 10/1 |
| D. Aurora | — | 11/1 |
| L. Maersk | 25/11 | 10/1 |
| A. Maersk | 9/12 | 24/1 |
| Mokihana | — | 10/2 |
| Sophocles | 24/12 | 14/2 |
| Sorholt | 30/12 | 21/2 |
| **From PANAMA** | | |
| Sophocles | 4/1 | 14/2 |
| **From LOS ANGELES** | | |
| A. Maersk | 30/12 | 24/1 |
| Asama M. | 1/1 | 10/2 |

| From SAN FRANCISCO | | |
|---|---|---|
| Asama M. | 4/1 | 10/2 |
| **From PORTLAND** | | |
| Agra | 23/12 | 14/1 |
| **From YOKOHAMA** | | |
| L. Maersk | 5/1 | 10/1 |
| **From KOBE** | | |
| Taiyo M. | 7/1 | 9/1 |
| **From NAGASAKI** | | |
| Nagasaki M. | 6/1 | 7/1 |
| **From KEELUNG** | | |
| Hukuken M. | 8/1 | 10/1 |

### AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

| From CAPETOWN | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tegelberg | 15/12 | 22/1 |

| From MOMBASA | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tegelberg | 2/1 | 22/1 |

### CHINA PORTS

| From DAIREN | | |
|---|---|---|
| Dairen M. | 6/1 | 8/1 |

| From HONGKONG | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tjisadane | 6/1 | 8/1 |

## *Vessels Discharging*

**HAKOZAKI MARU.** The N. Y. K. s.s. Hakozaki Maru, from Europe via Ports arrived on January 2, and discharged her General cargo at the Wayside Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their cargo. Damaged cargo will be examined at the Wharf on Tuesday, January 9, at 9 a.m. by Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. Claims must be presented within 14 days of the vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Should cargo not be imported within 15 days of arrival of the vessel compulsory Custom's Examination will be held before the goods can be placed in Bond. This Company accepts no responsibility whatsoever for any damage sustained as a result of the Examination. Nippon Yusen Kaisya, Shanghai Branch. 6-1

**GLENSHIEL.** From London.—Cargo ex this vessel arrived from Hongkong per "Glenorchy" on January 5, and is now being discharged at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their cargo. (Consignees of "Bulk Cargo, will further be required to send their representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such cargo whilst it is being landed). All claims against this vessel must be sent in within fourteen days from date of vessel's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risk of Fire at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of cargo. Examination of broken and shipdamaged cargo will be held at the Holt's Wharf on January 11, at 10 a.m. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd., Agents. 8-1

## *Vessels Sailing*

The undermentioned vessels are due to sail from Shanghai upon the dates indicated.

| For LIVERPOOL | |
|---|---|
| Hakozaki Maru | 4/2 |
| **For COPENHAGEN** | |
| Triton | 29/1 |
| **For GENOA** | |
| C. Verde | 21/1 |
| **For CALCUTTA** | |
| Matue Maru | 6/1 |
| Haraldsvang | 12/1 |
| **For BOMBAY** | |
| Okitu Maru | 24/1 |
| **For CAPETOWN** | |
| Tegelberg | 23/1 |
| **For JAVA** | |
| Tjisaroea | 6/1 |
| Tjisadane | 11/1 |
| Tjinegara | 18/1 |
| Tjibadak | 1/2 |
| **For NEW YORK** | |
| Nagara Maru | 8/1 |
| H. Maersk | 15/1 |
| Tamesis | 22/1 |
| Sakito Maru | 30/1 |

| For NEW YORK | |
|---|---|
| M. Maersk | 1/2 |
| Kansai Maru | 5/2 |
| L. Maersk | 15/2 |
| **For SAN FRANCISCO** | |
| P. Coolidge | 16/1 |
| Arga | 16/1 |
| P. Taft | 29/1 |
| P. Cleveland | 12/2 |
| Asama Maru | 17/2 |
| P. Pierce | 26/2 |
| **For YOKOHAMA** | |
| Suwa Maru | 24/1 |
| **For KOBE** | |
| Taiyo Maru | 12/1 |
| **For NAGASAKI** | |
| Shanghai Maru | 6/1 |
| Nagasaki Maru | 8/1 |
| Shanghai Maru | 10/1 |
| Nagasaki Maru | 12/1 |
| **For DAIREN** | |
| Tsingtao Maru | 7/1 |
| Dairen Maru | 10/1 |
| Hoten Maru | 13/1 |
| Tsingtao Maru | 16/1 |
| Dairen Maru | 18/1 |
| Hoten Maru | 21/1 |

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|---|---|---|---|
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| Hongkong | | *20.00 | 7.15 |
| Amoy Swatow and Canton | | *20.00 | 8.15 |
| Aust. N.Z. Manila and Java Ports | | 8.15 | 9.00 |
| Hongkong and Canton | | 8.30 | 9.00 |
| Tsingtao | | 8.30 | 9.00 |
| Minhow Foochow via Sankiangkow | | 8.30 | 9.00 |
| Tsingtao Chefoo and Tientsin | | 9.30 | 10.00 |
| Chefoo and Tientsin | | 10.00 | 10.30 |
| Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao | | 19.30 | 20.00 |
| Indo-China (Z) via Haiphong | A | — | — |
| Hongkong Kwangchowwan Haiphong | | 19.30 | 20.00 |
| Hongkong | | 19.30 | 20.00 |
| Tsingtao and Dairen | | 20.00 | 20.00 |
| Amoy | | 20.00 | 20.00 |
| **SUNDAY, January 7.** | | | |
| Tinghai and Shenkiamen via Tinghai | X | 9.30 | 10.00 |
| Ninghsien Yungkia etc. via Chinhai | | 10.00 | 10.00 |
| Minhow Foochow via Sankiangkow | X | 10.00 | 10.00 |
| Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao | | 19.00 | 19.00 |
| **MONDAY, January 8.** | | | |
| Japan and Korea via Nagasaki | | *19.00 | 7.15 |
| Hongkong | | *19.00 | 7.30 |
| Nantung | | 14.30 | 15.00 |
| Amoy Swatow and Canton | X | 14.30 | 15.00 |
| Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao | | 19.20 | 20.00 |

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## *Weather, Time and Tide*

| Saturday, January 6, 1940 (27th day of 11th moon) | SICCAWEI Jan. 4 16.00 | 21.00 | Jan. 5 4.00 | 9.00 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Barometer inches | 29.93 | 29.95 | 29.95 | 29.98 |
| at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.) | —0.19 | —0.18 | —0.08 | —0.07 |
| at 32 F. ( " " 12 hrs.) | —0.10 | —0.16 | +0.02 | +0.03 |
| Wind (direction) | SW | SSW | SW | SW |
| " (miles per hour) | 9.9 | 12.4 | 11.8 | 8.1 |
| Temperature (Fahr.) | 64.6° | 49.°1 | 59.°2 | 48.°0 |
| Humidity % | 40 | 60 | 71 | 61 |
| Nebulosity (0 to 10) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rainfall inches | — | — | — | — |

| Siccawei Abridged Report January 4 | Mean 1940 | 24 hrs. variation | 67 years average |
|---|---|---|---|
| Barometer (mean 4 obs.) | 29.99 | —0.20 | 30.35 |
| Temp. Min. 35.°1 Max. 69.°3 | 52.°2 | +6.°2 | 37.°3 |
| Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches) | — | .. | 0.11 |

| Time and Tide | 6/1 | 7/1 | 8/1 | 9/1 | 10/1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sun rises at Shanghai .. | 6.54 | 6.54 | 6.54 | 6.54 | 6.54 |
| Sun sets at Shanghai .... | 17.05 | 17.06 | 17.06 | 17.07 | 17.08 |
| Moon rises at Shanghai .. | 3.34 | 4.31 | 5.24 | 6.13 | 6.58 |
| Moon sets at Shanghai .. | 14.27 | 15.17 | 16.10 | 17.04 | 17.58 |
| Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18 | 7.40 | 8.26 | 9.12 | 10.00 | 10.35 |
| Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18 | 13.30 | 14.25 | 15.05 | 15.40 | 16.06 |
| H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18 | 10.15 | 10.58 | 11.30 | 12.10 | 12.33 |
| Ht. above LLW. (feet) .. | 7.72 | 9.15 | — | 7.20 | 7.52 |


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|---|---|---|
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| ss. TSINGTAO MARU ..... | Jan. 14 | Jan. 16 at 9 a.m. |
| ss. DAIREN MARU ..... | Jan. 16 | Jan. 18 at 9 a.m. |
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## *Yesterday's Arrivals*

| Name | From | Consignees |
|---|---|---|
| Patti | Sanhokong | V. Chieri |
| F. Consolini | Ningpo | C.I.N. |
| Haraldsvang | Hongkong | N.Y.K. |
| Mikage M. 3 | Tsingtao | Y.K.K. |
| Koga M. | Dairen | D.K.K. |
| Mimer | Wenchow | Union S.S. |
| H. Kiangnan | T'senkong | Foo Hwa |
| Liesel | T'lungkong | Chin Dah |
| Chingning M. | Tsungming | T.K.K. |
| Tsingtao M. | Dairen | D.K.K. |
| Avemaria | T'lungkong | Chu Foong |
| Heiei M. 6 | — | T.K.K. |
| Romolo | Liuho Point | V. Chieri |
| Hungyun M. | T'lungkong | Chu Foong |
| Hwaping | T'lungkong | Hwa Chung |
| Taiko M. 18 | Hsinkong | T.K.K. |
| Shanghai M. | Japan | T.K.K. |
| Luise | Haimen | Ger. Machine |

## *Yesterday's Departures*

| Name | Flag | Despatcher |
|---|---|---|
| Lipari | Ital. | Don Shing |
| Romolo | Ital. | V. Chieri |
| Chekiang M. | Jap. | T.K.K. |
| Peihua | Chi. | K.U.K. |
| Daishin M. | Jap. | T.K.K. |
| Delhi | Swe. | De La Rama |
| Hukusha M. | Jap. | T.K.K. |
| Kiangnan | Ger. | Chu Foong |
| Kiangting | Ger. | Foo Hwa |
| H. Kiangnan | Ger. | Foo Hwa |

## *Men-of-War in Port*

| Name | Flag | Type | Berthed |
|---|---|---|---|
| D. de Lagree | Fr. | Gbt. | F.N.B. |
| Fran. Garnier | Fr. | Gbt. | F.N.B. |
| Pigeon 6 | Am. | Gbt. | Y.P.D.W. |
| E. Carlotto | Iti. | Gbt. | J.N.B. |
| Lepanto | Iti. | Gbt. | J.N.B. |

As a result of stones put on the line, an express train from Glasgow to Ardrossan was derailed, resulting in the loss of four lives. It is thought mischievous boys were responsible. In a report on the crash the hope is expressed that the death of four persons which lies at the door of those responsible for placing the obstruction on the rails would be a warning to others of the deplorable results which might follow such mischievous interference.

# Second-Hand Hats For Sale Cheap

### Dealers in Unique Trade Offer Used Bonnets For Purchase; no Toppers

One of the most unusual businesses in a city notorious for its trade in the extraordinary is the second-hand hat industry in Shanghai. There are several dingy establishments dealing in the sale of used cranium covers scattered throughout the Settlement, notably in Yu Ya Ching Road and Foochow Road. These emporiums keep their windows well filled with the commodity which they offer to the hatless public and some of the hats displayed in the windows look as if they were beginning to wilt under the avid stare of thousands of hat-seekers. Most of the models on view, however, have been freshly cleaned and blocked and not a few of them are defiantly bedecked with gaily coloured feathers.

These second-hand hat establishments were first brought to the attention of a "North-China Daily News" reporter by a gentleman with more taste than money who toured the city in search of an inexpensive top hat for evening wear. To his sorrow he was unable to obtain the desired topper and his sales resistance was so low that he came home with two felt hats and a beret which he had purchased for a total of $4.95. His experience led to an investigation of the used hat shops by the reporter and the following facts were disclosed.

**"No Speak English"**

The first thing that the reporter discovered was that very few of the proprietors of these hat shops spoke English. Examination of the contents of the emporiums revealed that these headgear peddlers do not go in for any degree of variety, most of the hats in stock being of the common felt species. These hats range in price from about $2.50 to $8.50 although a few imitation velours which were in stock in one shop fetched a higher price. Those prices are by no means fixed and are lowered according to the bargaining ability of the customer.

All of the hats for sale in the used hat emporiums have been cleaned and blocked, at one time or another, and have been equipped with a new leather sweat band. Some are ornamented with those attractive little feathers which seem to be all the rage now but in most cases the customer has to pay extra for this accessory.

Mindful of the gentleman's fruitless search for a top hat the reporter hunted for all sorts of strange headgear. Searching inquiries as to the possibility of obtaining toppers, bowlers or tam o'shanters revealed that there were none of these varieties on hand. One shop assistant dug around in a corner of the shop and brought forth an old bowler which had apparently been used as a rat's nest for several years. Apparently the demand for this type of headgear has not been very great.

One used hat emporium which bore the imposing sign "America Old Hat Co." lured the reporter inside to look for a sombrero. The proprietor stoically shook his head when approached with the request for this relic of the great outdoors and proferred in its place a snappy light grey felt bonnet priced at $3.25. In answer to further inquiries he revealed that he had not a single American hat of any description in stock.

The owner of the "Used Men's Hats Shop" refused to answer any questions put to him by the inquiring newsman countering each query by brandishing a remodelled streamlined affair which was marked $6.50. He compared the hat he had for sale with the rather weather-beaten lid which the reporter was wearing and embarrassed the latter so much that he had to leave.

Business is evidently not so good in the second-hand hat trade, however, as the reporter did not come across a single customer in any of the places he visited. Trade will pick up in the Summer because Old Sol beats down hard on unprotected skulls during the hot months. Then will the felt hats in the windows of the second-hand hat dealers be replaced with the latest in used straw models.

## *Belgian Cabinet Resigns*

Brussels, Jan. 5.

As was expected, the Cabinet resigned here today. The King entrusted M. Hubert Pierlot, the Premier, with the formation of a new Cabinet. It is believed that the new government will include members of nearly all political groups in the country.—Havas.

# Child Placement Facilities Less

### S.M.C. Protection Office Issues Monthly Report; 65 Cases Handled

The removal of the Salvation Army Vocational Training School for Boys has temporarily deprived the S.M.C. Child Protection Section of a receiving home for boys while their cases are being investigated, and lessened the number of institutions at the disposal of the Section for placement. Also, until the Child Protection Society can find other suitable premises, the number of beggar children which can be placed in the care of this organization is limited, and the process of taking them from the streets has been temporarily slowed up. Those previously placed with the Society are for the present being given hospitality in the Child Welfare Camp of the National Child Welfare Association.

The number of cases handled during December has consequently been considerably reduced, totalling 65 instead of the usual 90.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| I. Total cases | | 65 |
| New cases | 52 | |
| Old cases | 13 | |
| Cases from last month | 2 | |
| Cases re-opened for placement | 3 | |
| Cases re-opened for advice | 8 | |
| II. New Cases | 52 | |
| Strayed | 13 | |
| Abandoned | 9 | |
| Homeless | 9 | |
| Beggars | 8 | |
| Ill-treated | 4 | |
| 3 "mui tsai" | | |
| Abducted | 3 | |
| Neglected | 3 | |
| Prostitutes | 2 | |
| Mentally disturbed | 1 | |

Thirty-two of the cases were unmarried girls, and 20 were boys. Ten were under the age of five years, 18 between five and ten years, 19 between ten and 15, and five above 15 and under 20 years. Forty-two cases were referred by ten police stations. Six were referred by hospital and four by individuals.

Adjustments.—The following adjustments have been made.

Thirty-one were placed in 11 institutions accoording to the needs of the case and the suitability of the institution. Ten were restored to relatives or guardians. One ran away. One case is incomplete and nine are awaiting placement—three in hospitals and six in receiving homes.

Five old cases were completed. Two young people among them were restored to relatives.

A total of 301 cases involving persons under the age of 20 years were proferred in the First Special District Court in December, charged with violation of the Chinese Criminal Code and the Law Governing Penalties for Police Offences. Twenty of these were under the age of 14 years at which the Court takes jurisdiction;—257 were in the age group 14-18, for which the law provides for lighter punishment for offences.

There were 89 cases of larceny, 72 of soliciting for prostitution, 47 of loitering, 26 of pocket-picking, and smaller numbers for other offences. One hundred and ninety-one of those charged were without employment. Only 25 had legitimate employment. Sixty were imprisoned and 86 detained; 15 were sent to the Reformatory; 97 were fined.

In addition, 182 (157 boys and 25 girls) were charged with violating municipal byelaws. By contrast, only nine of these stated they were unemployed. There were 54 apprentices and assistants. The majority were traffic offences. The fines of 40 exceeded $3, and the remainder were below that figure.

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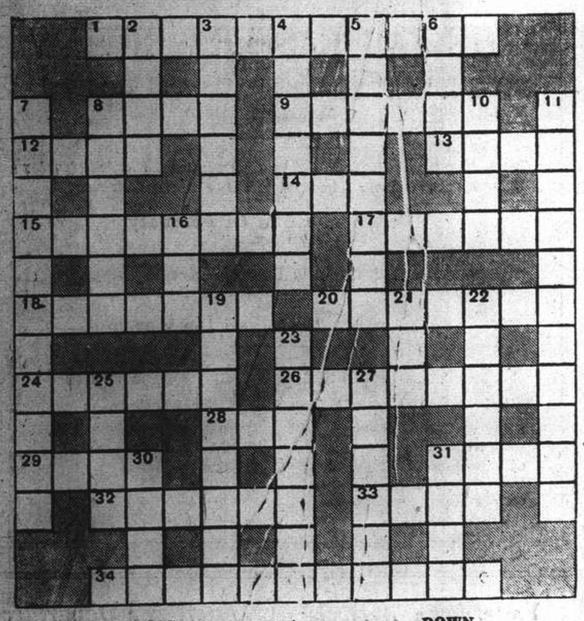

**ACROSS**

1 Desk whisper leads to being on the rocks
8 A common chemical
9 This poet was not back finally
12 Useful for people who are 1 across
13 Spot in the Thames Estuary devoid of sappers
14 A high honour
15 Bird that believes in warmth in clothing
17 Leading on the links if beheaded, but exhausted (two words)
18 Mostly in small numbers but severe
20 Animal that is still in fear
24 Friends abroad finished this famous castle
26 French here in what is thrown away, but from someone authorized to speak apparently
28 One can eat this at nothing
29 Upset Eastern 26 across is not sweet
31 This covers the whole human race
32 Recreation in which a few do wrong the wrong way
33 Colour
34 Not a rare sweet (two words)

**DOWN**

2 Major road ahead?
3 Disfiguring spot for the legislator in a heap
4 Ovine portion for field work
5 Romeo did to Juliet, but not on the telephone (two words)
6 Famous spot on the Thames
7 One who will clutch at straws (two words)
8 A liberated letter for a mythical spirit
10 Hitler always speaks from beneath it
11 Cheerful advice (two words)
16 Some from 18 across
19 The state of the anxious waiter
21 In the R.N. it's a bird
22 Sort of time the boy summoned by the Headmaster might be prepared for
23 What the penniless have (three words)
25 One sees here the approach of anno domini with it
27 Frozen more than stiff
30 Has only a half meaning
31 Spotted (but not by 3 down!)

Y'DAY'S SOLUTION.—**ACROSS:** 7, Auxiliary; 8, Jeans; 10, Autocrat; 11, Allure; 12, Once; 13, Enduring; 16, Lore; 18, Cowslip; 20, Refrain; 22, Amos; 24, Naphtali; 26, Cuff; 29, Madder; 30, Imperial; 31, Still; 32, Snodgrass. **DOWN:** 1, Put-up; 2, Disown; 3, Disraeli; 4, Brother; 5, Cellarer; 6, Intrinsic; 9, Hand; 14, Nero; 15, Bonaparte; 17, Oval; 19, Schedule; 21, Escapade; 23, Minions; 25, Aire; 27, Furore; 28, Daisy.

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